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BORIS JOHNSON

RISHI SUNAK

SAJID JAVID

BORIS ADMITS TO LYING. SUNAK, JAVID QUIT. GOVT ON EDGE

British PM Boris Johnson's government was on the brink on Tuesday after a major rebellion from within as his finance and health ministers resigned following his admission that he had feigned ignorance about a colleague's shady past. There was speculation of more resignations later in the day. Rishi Sunak, often seen as a future PM, quit as chancellor of the exchequer and Sajid Javid resigned as health secretary. P11

2 EX-STAFFERS CAUGHT

Chandrashekhar Guruji stabbed to death in hotel

AMIT S UPADHYE & ARUNKUMAR HURALIMATH
@ Hubballi

CHANDRASHEKHAR Guruji (57) of Sarala Vastu fame was stabbed to death by two assailants in the lobby of a hotel in Hubballi on Tuesday afternoon.

Immediately after the murder, the two assailants fled the hotel in a car. The stabbing incident stunned the hotel staff and a large number of customers, who had come for lunch at the popular hotel on Old Pune-Bengaluru Highway.

Guruji, who was from Bhatkal, was staying at the hotel for the last two days. He was here to attend a family function and the murderers knew about it.

The police managed to catch the fleeing duo near Ramdurg of Belagavi district just four hours after the incident. The police identified them as Mahantesh Shirur and Manjunath Marewad, former employees of Guruji.

Guruji was a well-known vastu expert across the state and was a regular on several Kannada TV channels, hosting programmes related to the ancient architectural discipline. It is said he was also involved in real estate business in different parts of the state. P5

Twitter drags govt to HC over take-down fiat

Describes it as abuse of power by officials, Centre had warned social media platform that it may lose its protection

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

SOCIAL media platform Twitter on Tuesday moved the Karnataka High Court against the Centre's order last week to take down content under Section 69A of the Information Technology Act, alleging abuse of power by the officials.

Twitter's response comes in the wake of a government warning that it had failed to comply with two take down orders from the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), issued on June 6 and 9.

In its warning of last week, the government pointed out that Twitter could lose its protection as an intermediary under the new IT regulations if it continued to be in violation of the rules. It had set a deadline of July 4 for Twitter to comply with its order. The IT Act empowers the government to block public access to content in the interest of national security, besides other reasons.

The confrontation came to a head last year when the government wanted several Twitter handles, including international advocacy group Freedom House, politicians, journalists and individuals who were supportive of the farmers' protest, blocked. On June 26, acting on the government's request, Twitter blocked over 80 accounts. Twitter has been subjected to police investigation. Last year, some Union ministers moved to Koo, a social media platform, holding Twitter responsible for not complying with Indian laws.

While news agency Reuters reported that MeitY did not comment on Twitter's decision to move court, officials told PTI that the social media platform has complied with the June 27 notice as it did not want to lose liability exemptions available as a content host. In its plea, Twitter argued that some removal orders were not in accordance with the procedural requirements of the IT Act.

The ministry has been considering some amendments to the IT law, including setting up a government-run appeals panel that would have the power to reverse the content moderation decisions.

These measures, it argued, were needed because the firms violated the rights of many Indians. Industry transparency reports have pointed out that Indian government requests for content take downs are among the highest.

'NO ADVANCE NOTICE'

In its plea before the court, Twitter argued that some of the government orders did not give advance notice to authors of the content said to be objectionable. Twitter has an estimated 24 mn users in India

EXPRESS READ

England ride on twin ton, retain series 2-2

Edgbaston: Hosts hunt down 378 thanks to unbeaten tons from Jonny Bairstow and Joe Root. Draw five-match series that began almost 11 months ago. It's their highest successful run chase ever in Test cricket. Playing aggressive, positive cricket is essentially what the new regime of Brendon McCullum and Ben Stokes have empowered the team to do. At the toss, Stokes said they like chasing and the team showed why | P13

I had pitched for Shinde to be CM, says Fadnavis

Nagpur: Maharashtra Deputy CM Devendra Fadnavis on Tuesday said he had proposed to BJP leadership to make Eknath Shinde, who had rebelled against Shiv Sena leadership, the new CM after the collapse of the MVA last week.

JAB-O-METER TAKE YOUR SHOT
July 4 **10,09,757 doses**
July 5 **8,80,841 doses**
TOTAL: 1,98,19,70,798

NATIONWIDE	JULY 4	JULY 5
Fresh cases	16,135	13,086
Recoveries	13,958	12,456
Deaths	24	19

KARNATAKA	JULY 4	JULY 5
Fresh cases	749	839
Recoveries	940	913
Deaths	1	2

Siddu names Vijayendra, Ashwath in PSI scandal

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

CONGRESS Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah on Tuesday alleged that former chief minister BS Yediyurappa's son BY Vijayendra and IT-BT Minister Ashwath Narayan are involved in the PSI recruitment scam.

Addressing a joint presser, Siddaramaiah and KPCC chief DK Shivakumar demanded the resignation of CM Basavaraj Bommai and Home Minister Araga Jnanendra.

Siddaramaiah said, "There have been allegations that Ashwath Narayan got some of his candidates passed in the PSI test. Even Vijayendra's name is heard in this scam. Why has no inquiry or action been taken against them?"

He asked, "Where has the money collected from aspirants gone? I'll reveal details at the right time and before the right agency." He alleged the perpetrators of the scam have collected Rs 30 lakh to Rs 80 lakh per candidate and tampered with their OMR sheets. P4

CID FILES 1,900-PAGE CHARGESHEET IN PSI SCAM

Kalaburagi: The CID, probing the PSI CET scam, submitted a 1,900-page chargesheet against 34 accused, including senior police officers, kingpins and candidates, before the 3rd additional JMFC court on Tuesday | P4

Congress MLA Zameer Ahmed Khan during the raid in Bengaluru | EXPRESS

ACB raids Cong MLA Zameer

Acting on a report by the Enforcement Directorate, Anti-Corruption Bureau sleuths raided five places linked to former minister and Chamarajpet Congress MLA Zameer Ahmed Khan on Tuesday. Papers related to various properties, businesses and financial transactions were seized | P4

Safety scare as SpiceJet plane lands in Karachi

ARSHAD KHAN & YESHI SELI
@ New Delhi

BUDGET carrier SpiceJet flew into rough weather on Tuesday as its Delhi-Dubai flight had to be diverted to Karachi due to malfunctioning of the fuel indicator, and another domestic flight had to request priority landing in Mumbai after cracks developed on its windshield.

Following the two back-to-back incidents on Tuesday, the total number of technical snags reported on SpiceJet aircraft in the past 17 days rose to seven.

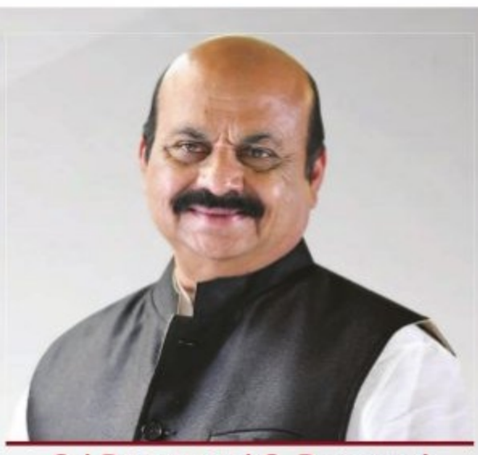
In both the incidents, the aircraft landed safely and passengers were safely disembarked.

Sources say that the Boeing 737 MAX plane flying from Delhi to Dubai showed unusual loss in fuel quantity when it was mid-air. However, no visual leak was noticed during an inspection in Karachi. In the second incident, the windshield of a Q400 plane flying from Kandla to Mumbai cracked at 23,000 feet altitude. P10

SpiceJet Boeing 737 Max aircraft at Karachi Airport on Tuesday | PTI

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

Department of Social Welfare


Sri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister

Messiah of Green Revolution,
Ex. Deputy Prime Minister of India

Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram

36th Death Anniversary

Date: 06.07.2022 Wednesday, 10:00 A.M.
Venue: Vidhana Soudha West Gate, Bengaluru

Garlanding the statue of
Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram
by
Sri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister
and
Sri Kota Srinivasa Poojary
Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare
& Backward Classes
Welfare Department

Hon'ble Chief Minister Sri Basavaj S. Bommai and Sri Kota Srinivasa Poojary, Minister for Social Welfare & Backward Class Welfare participated in the inaugural programme of "Kalyanamithra Integrated SC / ST Helpline".

"In the progress of the country
lies our progress;
in its salvation, our salvation;
and in its emancipation,
our emancipation."
- Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram

Commissioner
Department of Social Welfare

To Protect and respect our varied culture and traditions" is the fundamental duty of every Citizen of the Country.

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Department of Information and Public Relations

ALMANAC TODAY
• Wednesday: 06/07/2022 • Year: Shubhakruta • Ayana: Uttharayana
• Ritu: Greeshma • Masa: Ashada • Paksha: Shukla • Tithi: Sapthami 2.37 pm
• Nakshatra: Utthara Phalguni 7.52 am • Moon in Tula Rashi • Rahukaala: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm
• Gulikakala: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • Yamaganda: 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER
MIN 20°C | MAX 24°C
FORECAST
Light showers. Overcast

Sunrise 5.58 am
Sunset 6.50 pm
Moonrise 11.42 am
Moonset 12.00 pm

Waste dumped, set ablaze but no action

Residents blame garbage mafia; BBMP official calls it criminal offence, asks people to call ward office with details

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

RESIDENT of Veerabhadra Nagar in Banashankari third stage of Deepanjali Nagar ward have alleged that despite complaining about illegal waste dumping and setting the garbage ablaze on BBMP's Sahaya application, there has been no response and the issue persists.

The residents alleged that the waste dumping mafia comes in tractors and dumps garbage during dusk and leaves the spot. Then, the waste is set on fire which billows out thick black plumes which enters many apartments and housing complexes.

"Behind the Indira Canteen area of Deepanjali Nagar ward, waste is dumped regularly and on Tuesday, the miscreants dumped a tractor load of waste in broad daylight, which has been video recorded. We hope BBMP takes action," said a resident.

Raising such issues at ward level or giving an open representation might take a political turn and so, they have complained on the Sahaya app, the residents said.

BBMP Solid Waste Management Commissioner Harish Kumar has assured that actions will be taken, and added that he will look into the matter. "Let them (residents) give the exact location and details or call the ward office regarding the issue so that action can be taken on the spot. We will send marshall immediately if the residents alert us," said a senior BBMP official from the Solid Waste Management department, and pointed out that dumping of waste and setting it ablaze is a criminal offence.

Smoke billows out from a dumpyard at Veerabhadra Nagar in Banashankari 3rd Stage where garbage dumping is rampant | EXPRESS

BBMP CHIEF INSPECTS MAJOR JUNCTIONS

BENGALURU: BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath, Bengaluru Traffic Police and BWSSB on Tuesday conducted a joint inspection at major junctions, to observe traffic woes. Girinath and Additional Chief Secretary Rakesh Singh inspected Sarakki junction and instructed the removal of Bescom name plates, and make way for pedestrians. The officials also told BMRCL staff to increase the height of signal lights. The officials also visited Jayadeva flyover and observed waterlogging around, and asked the engineers to fix it. They also instructed that street lights be installed on the flyover. **ENS**

CIVIC @CENTRESTAGE

BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath receives petitions from residents during the 'Walk Towards Zone' initiative in East Zone. Residents raised complaints about sludge in drains, streetlights, footpaths and lake encroachment issues among others. Girinath directed officials to take appropriate steps

6-month jail for defacing city

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

AFTER repeated warnings to stop putting up banners and flexes in public places, BBMP special commissioner (Revenue) Deepak R L, on Tuesday, warned all those defacing the city, saying that strict action will be taken against the publishers and printers.

He told media persons the printers and publishers will have to pay the cost of removing the banners and flexes, and pay a penalty of Rs 1,000 and face six months imprisonment.

Deepak said: "I have instructed the chief engineers and joint commissioners of all zones to remove the banners. So citizens must be vigilant and stop putting up banners for birthdays, anniversaries and deaths. Violators would have to pay a fine of Rs 1,000 and will have to undergo six months imprisonment under the Prevention of Disfigurement Act. We also identify those publishers who are illegally printing the flexes and banners to be put up in the city."

BBMP staff have removed over 17,000 banners across the city in the last week and the officials have used GPS maps and cameras to identify the illegal hoardings, he added.

"The public has also submitted 107 objections over the ward delimitation and we are discussing with the authorities to consider them. Meanwhile, we are also listing out the SOP to recover tax from the malls who have defaulted," Deepak added.

EXPRESS READ

Flight diverted to B'luru due to bad weather

BENGALURU: An Air India Express flight from Dammam in Saudi Arabia to Mangaluru was diverted to Bengaluru on Tuesday morning due to bad weather. Passengers of flight number IX886 faced delay for over seven hours at KIA before the flight took off at 3 pm. The flight left King Fahd International airport at Dammam at 10.30 pm on Monday and was scheduled to reach Mangaluru International airport at 5.25 am on Tuesday. It was diverted to Bengaluru and reached around 8 am. It finally left KIA at 2.57 pm and landed safely at Mangaluru at 3.35 pm, 9.5 hours behind arrival schedule. A passenger Asif Iqbal Hameed tweeted: "Flight IX886 diverted from IXE (Mangaluru) to BLR (Bengaluru) due to bad weather in IXE. Landed in Bengaluru airport 2.30 hrs ago and so far there is no action from the team. Every passenger is standing inside the airport without knowing what is the next plan to take all the passengers to IXE." An Air India Express spokesperson said, "The delay was only due to weather conditions. Passengers were taken good care of during the period they were at the Bengaluru airport." He also claimed that he had no knowledge how many hours the flight was delayed. **ENS**

Danapur-Visvesvaraya stn train to begin ops

Bengaluru: To clear rush of passengers, East Central Railway will run a one-trip special train between Danapur in Bihar and Sir M Visvesvaraya Terminal, Bengaluru. The Danapur - Sir M Visvesvaraya Terminal Bengaluru Special (Train No. 03253) will depart from Danapur at 6.10 pm on July 7 and will arrive at SMVB on July 9 at 6.20 pm. In the return direction the SMVB - Danapur Special will depart from SMVB at 7.50 am on July 10 and arrive at Danapur on July 12 at 8 am. Weekly spl by NFR. The Northeast Frontier Railway will run a weekly Superfast special train between New Tinsukia in Assam and SMVB beginning from July 9.

'Cauvery water project to be ready by March'

BENGALURU: The Cauvery Water Supply Scheme-Stage V project, which will supply an additional 775 million litres of water daily to the city, will become operational by March 2023, said BWSSB chairman N Jayaram. The villages spread across Mahadevapura, Dasarahalli, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Byatarayanapura and Bommanahalli, which presently do not receive Cauvery water, will benefit from the Rs 5,500-crore project. To a question on overflowing manholes, he said it was due to absence of stormwater drains which resulted in rainwater seeping into manholes. "We have discussed the issue with BBMP to clear manholes," he said. **ENS**

EYE ON THE PIE

Sheep farmers hope to make a killing before Bakrid

MOHAMMED YACOOB@Bengaluru

WITH Bakrid, the festival of sacrifice, falling on July 10, herds of lambs and goats have been brought into Bengaluru, and lodged at various playgrounds and street corners. Muslim families sacrifice the animals as part of the festival.

A goat or sheep aged 1.5 years to 2 years is likely to cost between Rs 6,000 and Rs 60,000.

Dinesh S, a farmer from KM Doddi in Mandya district, who has brought about two dozen 'Bannur' sheep, considered a favourite among meat eaters, says for the past 10 years, he has been selling goats at Chamarajapet playground, and during Bakrid, expects some good business. "A pair of Bannur goats aged about 1.5 years, cost Rs 15,000, with each animal weighing about 12 kg," he said.

Chitappa SC from Pavagada has raised 40 desi variety of goats, and says he generates supplementary income as he cannot depend only on ragi and vegetable crops. "We get the goats when they are just 3-5 months old, and cost us Rs 4,000 each. Now, we sell them for between Rs 9,000 to to 12,000 each. A live animal weighs 15-28 kg," he said.

For Rame Gowda, a farmer from Channapattana in Ramanagar district, selling a pair of 'Ballari Mari' or 'Deccani' could fetch Rs 60,000. As this is just the first day of the mela, he said he is hoping to find buyers before the festival.

Fancy breeds show up

Fancy breeds like Ablak, Shirohi, Malwa and Jamunapari have arrived. Ablak, from North India, was on display, and a 2-year-old full-grown goat, referred to as 'ghoda' (horse) among sellers, costs Rs 55,000. Ismail Sharieff, a goat-seller at Chamarajapet, said the Shirohi breed from Rajasthan costs Rs 40,000, and Malwa from Madhya Pradesh costs Rs 50,000.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

06TH July : We are hovering on the brink of the ages of Aquarius and Pisces, two signs which are at the same time very different and remarkably similar. What they have in common is their idealism and dreams of a better world. The down side is that both can be impractical. So my advice at this time of change is to keep your eyes on the stars, but never forget those tiny, essential details.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Life is never as simple as it seems, even if we wish it were, and you'll soon realise just how complicated your situation can be. Yet this week you have a chance to simplify a whole range of questions with a single sentence. It's just a matter of finding the right words!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
One pattern, which suggests that you are over-committed financially, is now being replaced by another, which indicates that you may attract prosperity over the coming few weeks. Romantic ventures are now under your control, so you might consider issuing an overdue invitation.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Recently, many of you have been concealing an iron fist in a velvet glove, and I should imagine that anyone crossing your path has run the risk of being flattened. Don't feel bad about being assertive, and don't hold yourself back. Sometimes you have to be firm to be kind.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You may begin to bring all professional aims and aspirations to a final conclusion. I'm not saying that this is your last chance, only that after this week you should be sure of your strategy. Take the opportunity to enjoy improving emotional conditions.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
If you are typical of your birth sign, you are probably beginning to feel a mite frustrated. Has something big passed you by? You may feel that it has, but don't worry. You are in fact being given a chance to prepare yourself for when the fortunate day does finally arrive.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
The stars will be leaning in your direction and you'll soon be able to tackle an outstanding family issue or domestic question. You may find your fluctuating emotions a little perplexing, but not to any serious extent. One word of advice, though: always make sure you're fully guaranteed and insured before taking any risks with your security.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Pause for a moment. You may have arranged a busy schedule or you may have planned a day off. This is not important. What is vital is that wherever you are, whatever you're doing, you allow a little time for self-reflection and spiritual re-charging.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Once you get moving, you'll gain a great deal of satisfaction out of organising other people. Perhaps that's because deep down you know what's best and they don't! Whatever your motivations, make this a sociable day. Even at work you'll be happiest as part of a team.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
You should be thinking more like an individual, less like one of the herd. But at work you may have to put your ideas aside in the cause of co-operation. Socially, continue to take the initiative, but recognise that shared activities are vital if a relationship is to last.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
You will be liable to come a cropper if you try to bend the rules. The best way to use today's efficient planetary energies is to look far afield: arrange holiday plans, get in touch with relatives who are overseas, and bring a touch of the exotic into your home.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
You will have to be business slike. This may be advice which runs contrary to certain anarchic impulses in your character, but if you practise your skills now, you'll be much better placed later in the year when good organisation and responsibility will be essential.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
On the face of it you still appear to have the upper hand financially. If you want other people to agree with you, use all your emotional wiles, but if you wish to do the best for yourself, you should rely only on demonstrable facts and accurate figures.

THE PHANTOM

THE LAST PHANTOM TRAVELS TO THE MOUNTAIN CITY....
THE FIRST OF TWO JOURNEYS SEEKING THE WHEREABOUTS OF HIS SON.
"FOR IT IS IN THE BLOOD TO NOT BE FOUND!"
"HE KNOWS THEN THAT HIS SON, A DESCENDANT OF PHANTOMS, CANNOT BE FOUND....
"YOU DON'T FIND THE PHANTOM, HE FINDS YOU." OLD JUNGLE SAYING
DEPAUL + NANCY
Falk 6/7
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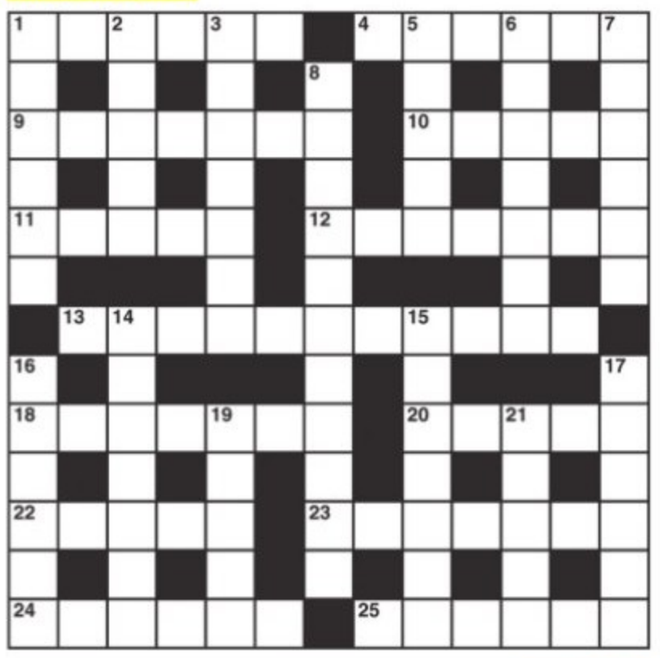
HI AND LOIS

CROSS WORD



JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

GTIFH
CNHIF
RYCLEE
SRAOBB

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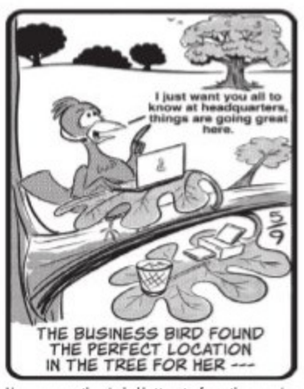

I just want you all to know at headquarters, things are going great here.
THE BUSINESS BIRD FOUND THE PERFECT LOCATION IN THE TREE FOR HER ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
TEMPO MOLDY LAWYER NOODLE
ANSWER: When Cindy Crawford went bowling at the chari-ty event, she was being a – "ROLL" MODEL

BEETLE BAILEY

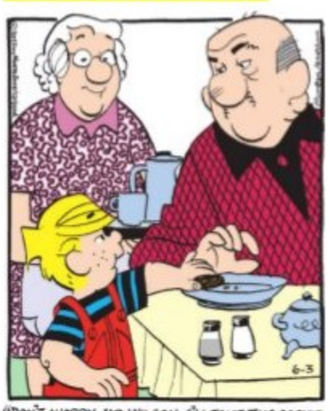
WHERE'S SARGE?
AT THE POLICE STATION FOR AN INCIDENT OF ROAD RAGE
DID HE BEAT SOMEONE UP?!
NO, HE JUST TURNED THE GUY'S CAR OVER ON ITS ROOF
6/3

BLONDIE

ARRGH! I'VE TRIED EVERYTHING, BUT I CAN'T LOG ON TO THE POWER COMPANY'S WEBSITE...I JUST WANT TO PAY MY BILL.
JUST CALL THEM, DEAR... IT'S MUCH EASIER
HELLO, PEPPY POWER COMPANY... CAN I HELP YOU?
YES!! FINALLY! I'VE BEEN ON HOLD 37 MINUTES... AND I JUST WANT TO PAY MY BILL!
YOU KNOW, IT'D BE MUCH EASIER TO PAY YOUR BILL ONLINE!
4-21

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE



SU DO KU

Easy: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

9		6	8				2	1
		8	6			3	9	
			9	7	2	6		
1	8		7		4			
	9						5	
			2		9		6	8
		7	1	3	8			
	3	1			6	5		
4	6				7	8		3

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

8	2	4	9	3	7	6	5	1
6	7	9	1	2	5	3	8	4
1	3	5	4	8	6	2	7	9
5	8	6	3	7	1	4	9	2
2	4	7	5	6	9	1	3	8
9	1	3	2	4	8	7	6	5
4	6	2	8	9	3	5	1	7
3	5	8	7	1	2	9	4	6
7	9	1	6	5	4	8	2	3

ACROSS
1 Run off at outset of disturbance (6)
4 Rush to see the ruins of Athens (6)
9 One who loves being unhappily married (7)
10 Peers out for a lively frolic (5)
11 Compel payment to be precise (5)
12 It's not pleasant to see a damaged rose (7)
13 It's a total loss all right (7,4)
18 One who enjoys distinction without power? (7)
20 Push a boat (5)
22 Tea rose (5)
23 Recoils from psychiatrists (7)
24 Pin inserted into a joint (6)
25 What the champagne did when little Florence got married (6)

DOWN
1 States times for customs (6)
2 With spirit a sailor gets up to dance (5)
3 Mark's quite rough-and-ready (7)
5 A detached area in church (5)
6 Leave the road and stop (4,3)
7 Soundly worked with the hands as required (6)
8 Safe deanery constructed without ceremony (4-3-4)
14 One must do it to survive (7)
15 No mean party? (7)
16 They will be less than the normal fare (6)
17 Let out the smallest amount say (6)
19 Two in support (5)
21 Were upset about a point but start again (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Abounds, 5 Pipit, 8 Hot on the trail, 9 Swell, 10 Melanie, 11 Clause, 12 Campus, 15 Lie-abed, 17 Apart, 19 Infant prodigy, 20 Gates, 21 Sleight.

Down: 1 Ashes, 2 On the face of it, 3 Nonplus, 4 Scheme, 5 Petal, 6 Plain speaking, 7 Tellers, 11 Calling, 13 A la mode, 14 Adepts, 16 Bans, 18 Tryst.

DURATION OF PANDEMIC	CASES REPORTED	DEATHS	DISCHARGES
2 YEARS, 119 DAYS	■ 839 ◂ 749	■ 2 | ◂ 1	■ 913 | ◂ 940
	TALLY	POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
		■ 5.92% | ◂ 5.92%	■ 1.00 % | ◂ 1.00 %
■ TODAY	■ 39,73,873	ACTIVE CASES ■ 6,398	RECOVERY RATE ■ 98.82%
◂ YESTERDAY	◂ 39,73,034	◂ 6,474	◂ 98.82%

B'luru Urban: 775	Chamarajanagar: 0	Dharwad: 4	Kolara: 3	Shivamogga: 1
B'luru Rural: 6	Chikkaballapur: 0	Gadag: 0	Koppal: 0	Tumakuru: 3
Bagalkot: 1	Chikkamagaluru: 0	Hassan: 2	Mandya: 3	Udupi: 3
Ballari: 3	Chitradurga: 0	Haveri: 0	Mysuru: 4	U Kannada: 3
Belagavi: 4	D Kannada: 17	Kalaburagi: 3	Raichur: 2	Vijayapura: 0
Bidar: 1	Davanagere: 1	Kodagu: 0	Ramanagara: 0	Yadgir: 0

MORE IMMUNITY

Covid-19 now endemic in country, say virologists

New variants will come, but people have gained hybrid immunity

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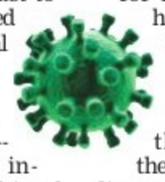
COVID-19 has reached an "endemic" stage, say the country's two top virologists -- Dr Gagandeep Kang, professor, Christian Medical College, Vellore, and Dr V Ravi, nodal officer, INSACOG lab at Nimhans, and head of Research and Development, Tata Medical and Diagnostic Centre.

That Covid-19 has become endemic does not mean the virus has disappeared; instead, one can infer that with enough people gaining immune protection from vaccination and from natural infection, there will be less transmission and much lower Covid-related hospitalisation and death. The virus will continue to mutate and circulate.

"Covid-19 has been endemic since last year. The virus has not gone away; new sub-variants will keep coming. We need to be aware of them but there is no need to get paralysed out of fear. We know how to deal with them," said Kang. She added that maintaining genomic and clinical surveillance is, however, a must to develop an evidence-based scientific strategy to deal with future mutations of the virus.



The new sub-variant of Omicron -- BA.2.75 -- reported in 10 states, including Karnataka, Delhi and Maharashtra, are because of "high mutations".

"There is no need to be alarmist," said Ravi. He explained that the "original Omicron had 51 mutations whereas its new strains -- BA.2.74, BA.2.75, BA.2.76 – have 80 mutations, which means they could be more infectious but not more virulent. Covid-19 is now endemic, which means there will be low level of transmission, with some spurts. There will be many more infections than what is being reported. Testing is not being emphasised, unless there are huge cluster outbreaks," said Ravi.

Both Kang and Ravi added that the vulnerable population – the elderly and those with comorbidities -- need to be careful and watch out for severe symptoms. They also said that earlier infections are no guarantee against new variants. "Being doubly vaccinated will not prevent re-infection but will help against serious infections," said Ravi.

The two top virologists stressed on the role of the SARS-CoV-2 vaccines in the country as protection against the virus, and the hybrid immunity that most Indians would have developed by now. "Around 90 per cent of the adult Indian population has received both doses of the vaccine. Those who have not been vaccinated are also vulnerable for infection, unless they have already had Covid. Many of them would not even know if they were asymptomatic," said Ravi. Kang said that "80-90 per cent of the adult population in India would have by now developed hybrid immunity" (the immune protection in individuals who have had one or more dose of vaccine and experienced at least one SARS-CoV-2 infection before or after vaccination).

On the booster dose, Kang said though SARS-Cov-2 vaccines are good, the right time to boost continues to remain a challenge. "We need to plan studies that teach us how to use booster doses," she added. Ravi said that vaccine coverage in India is far better than in many other countries. Masking in public, congested places is a must, but compliance is a challenge. "There is huge pandemic fatigue in public," said the virologist.

Omicron dominates genome samples in May, June

SHILPA P @ Bengaluru

AT a time when Bengaluru is seeing a surge in Covid-19 cases, the State health department has received genomic sequencing reports of 1,238 RT-PCR samples (CT levels were less than 25) sent between June 20 and 30.

Indian SARS-CoV-2 Genomics Consortium (INSACOG) has confirmed that Omicron and its sublineage BA.2 and variants of Covid-19, ETA/kappa/pango, continue to dominate the cases reported. However, the good news is that new sublineages of Omicron (reported in other parts of India) including BA 2.38 or BA 2.75, BA2.12.1 are not reported in the state. More than 90 per cent of these cases are from Bengaluru.

VIRUS BREAKDOWN

Presence of Omicron confirmed in 975 samples, constitutes 91.89 per cent of total cases in the months of May and June

SUB-LINEAGES OF OMICRON IN MAY AND JUNE

Variant	Samples	Total cases (%)
BA.5	74	3.52
BA.4	54	1.82
BA.3	12	0.44
BA.2	553	79.32
BA1.1529	282	14.84
BA.1	0	0.03

Presence of ETA/kappa/pango were found in 263 samples, and they constitute 8.02 per cent of cases reported

Delta and sub-lineages not found in new samples, yet they constitute 0.08 per cent cases in May and June; three cases reported from May 1 to June 19

Genome sequencing of 2,215 samples from May 1 to June 19 show 2,198 had Omicron and its sub-lineages

Going after promised ₹75L, techie loses ₹35L

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A 36-year-old woman software engineer from Kerala lost nearly Rs 35 lakh to accept a supposed currency parcel of Rs 75 lakh. The main accused trapped the victim through social media by sending her pictures of the parcel. Unsuspecting of the criminal plot, the victim borrowed money from her relatives and friends and kept sending it to the accounts of the accused.

Though she was cheated two years ago, the techie approached the city police and filed a complaint only last month. The police traced the gang to Uttam Nagar in New Delhi, where fraudsters from African countries stay. Investigators have managed to freeze two accounts of the accused with deposits of Rs 4.5 lakh.

Strangely, the victim, without approaching the police, had shared the details on social media.

The police are left with no clues, except for details of account holders in Delhi as details of call records and IP logs are available for a maximum of one year after which they are deleted. Since the incident occurred two years ago, the police are unable to lay hands on any electronic evidence and are now hoping that the accused are arrested in Delhi.

The victim, Reena (name changed), stays at HAL in the city. Of the 11 accused, five are women and the police say they may have used fake names while interacting with the victim. Reena claims to have come in contact with the main accused, identified as James Daniel, on Facebook. The other accused kept calling her to pay different fees to get the amount released, and the victim put money into 11 different bank accounts.

"Victims of cybercrimes should approach the police immediately. Delay in filing the case will hamper the investigation. The accused has also made the victim courier SIM cards purchased in her name and have used them to commit fraud," said an officer, who is part of the investigation.

The Whitefield CEN police registered a case under the IT Act, 2000 along with other sections of the Indian Penal Code.

SEEKING FAIR DEAL

Members of the Karnataka State Fair Price Shop Dealers' Association stage a protest seeking fulfilment of their various demands, at Freedom Park in Bengaluru on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Producer Kishore Pathikonda undergoes emergency surgery

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FILM producer Kishore Pathikonda (40) underwent an emergency surgery for brain hemorrhage late Monday evening. He was found in an unconscious state in his home and was rushed to the emergency department of Apollo Hospital.

Initial investigations revealed a large wound on the left side of his brain. He underwent a surgery the same night for its removal. The surgery was successful and he was shifted to the ICU on Tuesday. He is under close observation and on ventilator support, with vitals stable and improvement in neurological status.

Movie director Chethan Kumar told *TNIE* that Kishore had fallen unconscious due to high blood pressure. "He did not come to office all day, so we were worried and went to check on him. We found him lying unconscious and rushed him to hospital." Kishore is likely to be discharged soon.

Pics of handsome men helped him cheat women

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A 39-year-old habitual cyber criminal, who used to post pictures of handsome men on matrimonial websites and cheat women after collecting their contacts, has been arrested by the CEN police.

The accused, Naveen Y Singh, a resident of Vidyanagar in Tiptur of Tumakuru, sourced pictures of unknown men from social media and posted them on matrimonial sites to lure women looking for an alliance. After collecting their phone and other details, he would call them regularly, but keep postponing his visit to their homes to finalise the wedding date. He told them he was working with an MNC and he got good discounts on household items. A 24-year-old law student lost nearly Rs 7 lakh that she gave to him to get household articles. He is said to have cheated women from across the country.

Naveen, who works in a plywood company, was arrested after the law student from Ramanagar filed a complaint.

"His modus operandi was to target his victims on matrimonial sites. Instead of his profile picture, he would upload photos of good-looking men to get women interested and also to escape arrest. He would swindle women by promising them household items at a discount," said an officer, who is part of the investigation.

He was also allegedly collecting money from KSRTC drivers and conductors, promising them transfers to places of their choice.

"He used the money for his father's treatment and also to feed his bad habits. He is involved in over 28 cases registered in Mumbai, Gujarat, Chhattisgarh, Pune, Andhra Pradesh and some police stations in Karnataka," said the officer.

EXPRESS READ

Man beaten for refusing to join trade union

Bengaluru: A 34-year-old man from Uttar Pradesh was thrashed by members of a trade union for refusing to join the body, near Kengeri on Monday. Victim Ranjith Singh, a resident of Bidadi, has been working in a private company at the Bidadi Industrial Area for the last 14 years. He is undergoing treatment at a hospital. The accused -- Mangru Yadav, Mruthyunjaya, Veerabhadrappa, Pappu Yadav, Hira Lal, Jai Singh Yadav, Lal Chand Yadav and Azad -- kept asking him to join the union for the last two years and to participate in protests. Further investigations are on. ENS

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Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said disaster management teams have been put on high alert following heavy rain in various districts. Officials have been instructed to assess damage and pay compensation to the affected

PSI RECRUITMENT SCAM

CID files 1,900-page chargesheet

Names 34 accused, including senior police officers, kingpins and candidates who wrote test

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THE Criminal Investigation Department (CID), probing the police sub-inspector common entrance test scam, submitted a 1,900-page chargesheet against 34 accused, including senior police officers, kingpins and candidates, to the third additional JMFC court here on Tuesday.

Public Prosecutor Shivasharanappa Hotpet, who submitted the chargesheet before Judge Srinivas KR, said, "Charges have been filed against Veeresh, Chetan Nandgaon, Praveenkumar, Arunkumar Halsultanpur (all candidates), Savitri, Suma, Siddamma, Archana Shivakumar and Sunanda alias Sunita (all teachers), Rajesh Hagaragi (president of Jnana Jyoti School), Hayyali Desai, Rudregowda and Sharanabasappa Boragi (police constables), Mahantesh Patil (kingpin), Rudra Gowda Patil (Congress leader), Mallikarjun Melakundi, NV Sunil Kumar and Honnamma alias Jyoti Patil (mediators), Divya Hagaragi (general secretary of Jnana Jyothi School), Suresh Kategaon (who provided shelter to Divya Hagaragi while she was absconding), Kalidas, Saddam Hussain and Manjunath Melakundi (assistant engineer at Irrigation Department), Sridhar, Kashinath (headmaster of Jnana Jyothi School), Anand, Mallikarjun and Vaijinath (both DySP rank officers), Shantibai and her husband Basya Naik, Mohammad Ayub, Aslam Mujawar and Vasantraj.

The candidates include those who had appeared for the PSI CET at Jnana Jyoti exam centre here. CID DySP Prakash Rathod, who is the investigating officer, prepared the chargesheet.

CID staff transport copies of the chargesheet to the court in Kalaburagi on Tuesday

The CID had filed an FIR against candidate Veeresh at Chowk Police Station on April 9 naming him as the prime accused. All the 34 accused have been charged with exam malpractices, including copying using bluetooth devices.

Of the 34 accused, 33 are still in judicial custody, while Suresh Kategaon was granted bail by the Kalaburagi bench of the Karnataka High Court recently.

How the probe began?

After the CID took over the probe, Veeresh, son of a head constable attached to Sedam Police Station in Kalaburagi district who had appeared for the PSI CET on October 3 at Jnana Jyoti exam centre, was the first to be arrested. He had answered only 21 multiple-choice questions, but secured 100 marks. He was taken to Bengaluru for further investigation. Based on his confession, CID sleuths filed a case at the Chowk Police Station on April 11. Later, six more were arrested -- three supervisors Suma, Siddamma and Savitri working at Jnana Jyoti, and candidates Arun Patil of Hal Sultanpur village of Kalaburagi taluk, Chetan Nandgaon of Aland taluk and Praveenkumar K of Raichur district.

School Principal Kashinath, also an accused, had turned off the CCTV cameras for half-an-hour to facilitate malpractice.

CET for PSI

The notification to fill up 545 PSI posts, including 107 positions in the Kalyana-Karnataka region, was issued on January 23, 2021. The last date for submission of applications was February 22, 2021. It was further extended to May 20.

In all, 54,104 candidates applied and wrote CET at 94 exam centres across the state on October 3. After complaints of irregularities, the state government announced the CID probe.

CM: Cong has no moral right to seek HM's resignation

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WITH opposition parties demanding the resignation of Home Minister Araga Jnanendra over the PSI recruitment scam, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Tuesday came out in defence of his cabinet colleague.

"The Home Minister has discharged his duties honestly and efficiently. It is only because of him that the irregularities have been exposed," he told reporters adding that the Congress has no moral right to demand the Home Minister's resignation. Bommai also blamed the previous Congress government, saying that the PSI question paper had leaked during that regime.

"The case was registered and a senior police officer was found to be the accused. But nothing happened later. Forget arresting, they (Congress) did not even bother to question the officer,'' he claimed. The state government has given a free hand to the officers to conduct a thorough investigation. "We have zero tolerance for such irregularities. We are working with an objective to cleanse the system, whether it is the top officers or any junior officials. We will go to the roots to resolve the issue," he said.

Meanwhile, Araga Jnanendra hit back at the Congress, saying, "There is no question of protecting anyone involved in the case. The Opposition Congress leaders are not cooperating with the government's efforts, but are instead seeking our resignation."

Stating that the government has shown commitment to fight corruption by arresting an ADGP-rank officer, he said the people involved in the case, however influential they may be, will be prosecuted if there is evidence.

ACB swoops down on Cong MLA Zameer's properties

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ACTING on a report by the Enforcement Directorate (ED), sleuths of the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) raided five places linked to former minister and Chamrajpet Congress MLA B Z Zameer Ahmed Khan on Tuesday. Documents related to various properties, businesses and financial transactions were seized during the raids.

A team of more than 50 ACB staffers conducted simultaneous raids on the MLA's palatial bungalow near the cantonment railway station, a flat in Silver Oak Apartment in UB City, a guest house in Sadashivanagar, where former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy was staying for more than a decade, GK Associates office in Banashankari, and National Travels office in Kalasipalya. The raids started early in the morning and continued till evening.

ACB officials said the ED, which had registered a case under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA) against Khan in August 2021 and had also raided his house, had sent a report about the disproportionate assets of the four-time MLA. Based on the same, the ACB registered an FIR against Khan and carried out the search and seizure operation.

When the ACB team knocked on the doors of his residence, Khan was still asleep, but the officials started the search operation. Khan, who was alerted about the raid by workers at the house, was reportedly unshaken by the raid. He came out of his room and spoke to the officials and cooperated with the investigation by replying to their questions, sources said.

"All family members, including Khan, were asked to stay in their rooms. Every nook and corner of his residence was thoroughly checked. As most of the household articles and material like marble, bathroom fittings, paintings, mirrors, furniture, and waterfalls were imported, experts were called in to get an estimate. However, no large quantity of cash or gold was found in the house," an official said, adding that the articles found at the house are worth a few tens of crores.

At the flat near the UB City, the police found around 25 bullets, which are said to be licensed, while at the National Travels office, the police questioned the managers separately.

To maintain confidentiality, senior officials of the ACB had called in officers from other districts and only a few staff from the Bengaluru unit were present during the raids. Elaborate police security was deployed around the MLA's house. However, Congress workers staged a protest outside his house accusing the BJP of indulging in vendetta politics.

Media persons and police personnel outside the bungalow of Chamarajpet MLA Zameer Khan during the raid by ACB officials on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Bommai, HM must step down: Siddu

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HE said when the issue was raised in the Assembly, both Bommai and Jnanendra maintained that there was no scam. "But now, a police officer of the rank of ADGP has been arrested and sent to judicial custody. The government has misled people. The home minister gives irresponsible statements in every incident. Neither Bommai nor Jnanendra have the right to continue in their positions and should step down," he demanded.

On Monday, the Criminal Investigation Department arrested senior IPS officer and former chief of police recruitment wing, ADGP Amrit Paul, in connection with the PSI recruitment scam.

Siddaramaiah said Congress demanded a probe in March, but the government handed over the case to CID only in April. "We cannot expect any justice from CID as a minister and other influential people are involved. We demand a judicial inquiry and a sitting high court judge should supervise it. I had earlier written to Bommai demanding a judicial inquiry," he added.

BJP government defaming state: DKS

Shivakumar said, "After ADGP Amrit Paul was arrested, within half-an-hour he was sent for medical examination without proper inquiry. It is shameful. When I was arrested, they made me sit for hours. Our leader Rahul Gandhi was made to go through 50 hours of inquiry. This is such a big racket and how can you interrogate him for only half-an-hour? The probe is just a namesake. The BJP government is defaming the state."

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THREAT TO JUDGE

RAHUL ACCUSES BJP OF BULLDOZING INSTITUTIONS

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FORMER AICC President Rahul Gandhi slammed the ruling BJP over the statement of a sitting High Court judge hearing a matter related to a bribery case, that he was being "threatened with transfer", and accused the BJP of bulldozing ''institution after institution".

He also shared a video in which the judge, during court proceedings, said he was threatened with a transfer after his remark against the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) that it had become a "collection centre". The judge said he was unfazed and added, "I will bell the cat, even at the cost of my judgeship."

Advocates' Assn to write to CJI seeking inquiry

BENGALURU: Observing that a sitting judge allegedly trying to influence another sitting judge with 'threats' of transfer for making remarks against the Additional Director General of Police of the Anti Corruption Bureau is not only unpardonable, but also amounts to contempt of court, Advocates' Association of Bangalore (AAB) president Vivek Subba Reddy on Tuesday said they will write to the Chief Justice of India to order an in-house inquiry on the influence borne on Karnataka High Court judge Justice H P Sandesh. Addressing the media, Reddy said they will also demand the CJI to frame a Code of Conduct and Do's and Don'ts for judges to stop such instances in future. If such an attempt by a sitting judge has an influence on judgment, then it affects the independence of the judiciary.

"A HC judge has been threatened for exposing BJP's corrupt government in Karnataka. Institution after institution is being bulldozed by the BJP. Each of us must stand with those fearlessly doing their duty (sic)," Gandhi said, using the hashtag "#DaroMat".

The Congress has been attacking the BJP government in Karnataka on the issue of corruption. On Monday, Rahul Gandhi had demanded that Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai should resign to ensure fair investigation into the police recruitment scam.

POLITICAL THEATRE

Job policy should focus on skill development: CM

BENGALURU: CM Basavaraj Bommai said the new employment policy being formulated should not only incentivise creation of jobs, it should also focus on development of skills required for industries. Bommai on Tuesday chaired a meeting to review the progress of the new policy formulation. He instructed officials to give greater thrust to textiles, FMCG and other sectors. He suggested starting short-term training courses in upgraded ITIs and GTTCs. Later, Bommai instructed officials to submit a report on projects approved by the State High-Level Clearance Committee, land allocated for various industries and whether these industries have implemented their projects within the time-frame. He said the report should have details about land allocated, extent of their utilisation, and instructed officials to withdraw the land if companies fail to implement their projects within the stipulated time frame. **ENS**

Govt to set up panel on pourakarmika recruitment

BENGALURU: A day after pourakarmikas withdrew their protest, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said the state government will constitute a committee to look into their special recruitment in all urban local bodies. Terming it a "historical decision", the CM said the government is taking measures to recruit them permanently. "The committee will have members, including labour leaders, theSafai Karmachari Nigam chairperson and members and social welfare and law department officials who will frame guidelines for the special recruitment. This will be placed before the houses to make it a law. **ENS**

B'day bash or power show? Siddu event could rive Congress further

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SUPPORTERS of CLP leader Siddaramaiah are giving the Congress high command the jitters -- they want their leader to be declared the CM candidate for the 2023 election, though they are aware that this is unlikely. This comes at a time when the Congress is losing ground elsewhere across India, with states slipping out of its grip -- in particular Punjab, where it got a drubbing after it went for polls declaring its CM candidate.

Here, Siddaramaiah's supporters have resorted to a grand celebration of his 75th birthday on August 3 in Davanagere. The event is likely to be more of a show of power than just a birthday bash -- if party leader Rahul Gandhi, who has been invited, takes part, they are hoping it will send a clear message to the party, and also score brownie points over the rival camp.

The event has already evoked mixed feelings within party circles, with leaders divided over its repercussions in an election year. While one group favours projecting Siddaramaiah as the Congress party face, and say this could help, his detractors claim it may send a wrong message to some communities, especially Vokkaligas in Old Mysuru, and Veerashaiva Lingayats and Dalits across the state.

The event may help him personally strengthen his clout among backward classes, but for leaders such as D K Shivakumar, Dr G Parameshwara and M B Patil, it will be a litmus test to get their respective communities to follow them in their regions. Shivakumar, who was gradually gaining traction among Vokkaligas in Old Mysuru region, may face the daunting task of convincing them, with JDS leader H D Kumaraswamy reiterating that he will become chief minister again. Parameshwara, who wants to take on the task of organising SC community events across the state, has sought permission from the party high command.

SIDDARAMOTSAVA

'Self-glorification' event, says KSE

KALABURAGI: Congress leader Siddaramaiah knows very well that he is a rejected politician, so he has arranged a "self-glorification" programme -- Siddaramotsava -- on August 3, said former minister K S Eshwarappa on Tuesday.

Event not to glorify Siddu: Supporters

BENGALURU: Supporters of leader of opposition Siddaramaiah, who are organising his 75th birthday in a grand manner in Davangere on August 3, have stressed that the event is not to glorify the Congress leader, but to "project the ideals of a personality".

DKS not on Siddu's friends' list!

BENGALURU: In spite of repeated questions, Congress leader Siddaramaiah on Tuesday did not name DK Shivakumar among his list of friends, even as the KPCC chief was sitting next to him. When media persons sought a reaction from Siddaramaiah on the ACB raid at his 'friend' Zameer Ahmed's properties, he said, "Why only Zameer? Many people are in my close aides' category." He listed MLC Dinesh Gooligowda and former Minister Priyank Kharge. When media persons pointed to Shivakumar, Siddramaiah said, "Everyone in this hall are my close associates", but did not take Shivakumar's name.

TOUGH COMPETITION

Congress leader Lakshman takes out a rally with a donkey in Mysuru on Tuesday

Cong leader stopped from taking pigs, donkeys to MP's office

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mysuru

THE game of one-upmanship between Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha and Congress leader M Lakshman took a new turn on Tuesday with the latter attempting to take out a rally with pigs and donkeys to the former's office for an open debate on the development of Mysuru. However, Lakshman was prevented from carrying out his plan by the police who detained him stating that it would create law and order problems.

High drama prevailed after this with irked Congress workers questioning the police if they were acting on the behest of the ruling BJP, and demanded that they be allowed to go to the MP's office.

"This is the fourth time that I have challenged the MP for an open debate, but he has failed to face us. He always tries to give hit-and-run statements and divert the issue. I have come with documents, but the MP constantly fails to face us," he said.

He further said, "Simha, while speaking to reporters, has used terms like 'pigs' and 'donkeys' which is why we have now come now with these animals to question the MP. Pig or boar is the royal emblem of Vijayanagara empire while donkey which is used for professional work which also represents the 'Madivala' community. The statements of Simha hurt sentiments of these communities," he said.

Lakshman was later released when party workers convinced the police that they will hold an online debate instead of visiting the MP's office. When Lakshman made several calls to Simha for a debate on the issue, the MP did not respond to his calls.

EPS to be voted interim general secretary

General Council meeting on July 11 will discuss abolishing dual leadership, present situation of AIADMK

T MURUGANANDHAM @ Chennai

THE general council meeting of the AIADMK convened by Edappadi K Palaniswami supporters on July 11 will elect him as the interim general secretary of the party. The agenda for the meeting sent by the headquarters office-bearers to GC members said the meeting would discuss creating the post of interim general secretary and electing a party functionary for the post.

The agenda also said the GC meeting would make an announcement about the election to be held for the post of general secretary. Multiple sources told TNIE that Palaniswami prefers to get elected to the top post through proper election.

Usually, invitations for GC meeting will just mention the date and venue. But considering the legal cloud over the meeting, the invitation has been carefully worded. "Since the amendments made to the bylaws of the AIADMK on December 1, 2021, for electing coordinator and joint coordinator by a single vote were not ratified by the June 23 general council meeting, the posts of coordinator and joint coordinator ceased to exist. The office-bearers appointed by the coordinator and the joint coordinator have been carrying out the functions of the party," the invitation said.

Of the 16 subjects mentioned in the invite, five are related to the leadership of the AIADMK. The meeting will discuss abolishing the dual leadership posts of coordinator and joint coordinator and the need for reviving the post of general secretary who will be elected by the primary members of the party. The meeting will also discuss the present situation in the AIADMK and take decisions required, the invite said.

The AIADMK, which decided to abolish the post of general secretary as a mark of respect to former CM J Jayalalithaa at a general council meeting in February 2017, has now decided to revive the post. However, O Panneerselvam and his supporters are against the move.

The invitation for the meet, sent to party treasurer O Panneerselvam and his supporters, also said "if the meetings of the executive committee and the general council cannot be held with the physical presence of the members due to Covid restrictions, the meetings would be held via video conference."

MEETING ILLEGAL, OPS MOVES MADRAS HC

Claiming the decision to hold the AIADMK general council meeting on July 11 without the joint authorisation of the party's coordinator and joint coordinator is illegal, disgruntled party leader O Panneerselvam has filed a suit in the Madras HC to stay the meeting convened by Edappadi K Palaniswami camp in the wake of a division bench refusing to entertain a plea with the same prayer.

Killers disguised as bhakts

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EYEWITNESSES said the assailants came in the guise of seeking blessings from Guruji at the hotel lobby. Once near him, they lunged at him, brought him to the ground and started stabbing him furiously and repeatedly, even as Guruji was flailing his arms and legs, as seen from the hotel CCTV cameras. Guruji was shifted to KIMS hospital, where he was declared brought dead.

Hubballi-Dharwad Police Commissioner Labhu Ram visited the hotel along with senior police officials. "The two accused were caught based on the CCTV footage. Their vehicle registration number was recorded and they were arrested in cooperation with Belagavi police," the officer said. "We have launched the investigation and are questioning a few people. Once the probe is over, the motive behind the murder will be known," he added.

Belagavi DySP Ramanagouda Hatti said police officers intercepted the car of the accused near Ramdurg and arrested them.

Mahantesh Shirur & Manjunath Marewad

Sources said the two accused were working for Guruji for sometime and were his trusted employees. In 2019, Guruji had helped another employee Vanajakshi tie the knot with Mahantesh Shirur. He had also given the couple a flat to stay in. After Mahantesh quit his job, Guruji was said to have asked the couple to return the flat, which led to a conflict, the sources added.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai expressed shock over the brutal murder of Guruji and assured his family and followers that all steps will be taken to ensure stringent punishment for killers. He told reporters in Bengaluru that Guruji's killing was a heinous and unfortunate act.

Police escort one of the assailants of Chandrashekara Guruji, who was murdered in a hotel in Hubballi on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Two Tamils shot dead in Myanmar, Manipur tensed

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

Two Tamils, residents of Moreh in Manipur, were allegedly shot dead in Myanmar on Tuesday, triggering unrest in the border town in Manipur. The incident occurred at Tamu in Myanmar, four km from Moreh, around 12:30 pm.

The deceased are P Mohan (28) and M Iyanar (35). Mohan was an autorickshaw driver and Iyanar ran a small shop. Mohan got married just a month ago. "Terror groups backed by the Myanmar military junta may have shot them dead," Manipur CM Nongthombam Biren Singh told TNIE. The Manipur police said they were trying to find out why the duo entered Myanmar. The bodies are kept at a hospital in Myanmar, sources said. "The Myanmar Army may have suspected them to be spies," said the Tamil Sangam of Moreh. "The international border is closed as per MHA guidelines as the situation in Myanmar is tense after military coup. But people from both the countries cross the border frequently for trade, livelihood," the sangam said. "They were born and brought up in Moreh and are innocent," the Sangam said.

An anganwadi flooded in Ullal

Landslides, road blocks in DK as rain wreaks havoc

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mangaluru

INCESSANT rains across Dakshina Kannada caused landslides in several areas, uprooted trees and flooded houses and roads on Tuesday. Meanwhile, Dakshina Kannada Deputy Commissioner Dr Rajendra KV declared holiday to anganwadis, schools and colleges on July 6.

The one-sided traffic was closed and the National Highway Authority of India(NHAI) engineers are working on Gurupura highway following the landslide and the police are also taking decisions on traffic diversion. Former MLA Moiuddin Bava visited the Gurupura-Adyapady road following the landslide. He also called the deputy commissioner from the spot seeking help to 800 families, who he claimed were facing inconvenience as there is no alternate road. The road also connects Mangalore International Airport(MIA).

Amid heavy rains, the water level of rivers is increasing. Following increase in river water, Inoli, Pavoor, Harekala in Mangaluru taluk were submerged. The agricultural lands also got inundated. Meanwhile, the boat facility has been stopped from Harekala to Adyar. Meanwhile, MLA U T Khader also visited Adyar. Electricity poles were uprooted in Bantwal; Kudthamugeru in Kolnadu village got flooded.

Sea erosion in Ullal

Sea erosion intensified at Someshwar, Ucchila, Battappady, C Ground in Ullal and few houses are worried about getting washed away. The road in Bettampady has already been swallowed by the sea. In Ullal, 15 houses have been flooded at Kallapu. The Ucchila school and anganwadi have been inundated.

Gurupura-Adyapady road connecting Mangalore International Airport witnessed a landslide and traffic has been diverted temporarily

Holiday declared

Dakshina Kannada DC Dr Rajendra KV declared holiday to schools and colleges. Following heavy rain, the Madarasa management association declared a holiday on Tuesday. The Orange Alert in the district will continue for a week.

Meanwhile, two boulders fell in Korakatta that connects Tauduholi cross to the junction at Naringana village. There were no commuters when the incident occurred. The boulders were cleared with the help of PWD personnel and locals.

There was a landslide on the road connecting Nadupadav and Montugoli, blocking vehicular movement. Landslide at Saradka on Vitla-Perla road, a Kerala-Karnataka border area affected the vehicular movement.

Udupi sees heavy showers

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Udupi

CONTINUOUS rains were back in Udupi on Tuesday and ADC Veena B N declared holiday for schools and colleges across the district. Water level in westward-bound rivers and their tributaries increased considerably. However, there was a break in the afternoon. Rain receded further by evening. Due to swollen Sita River, several coconut trees, arecanut plantations in Hebri and Nadpalu villages witnessed a flood-like situation. Bommarabettu and Harikandige areas near Hiriyadka also saw many low-lying areas being submerged in rainwater.

Sea erosion in Moolur-Thottam near Kaup intensified. Several coconut trees were washed away by the sea waves. In Byndoor taluk, a house of Moosa Kulsumbi in Shiroor village was damaged and the loss is estimated at ₹75,000. In another incident, a house owned by Subraya Hebbar in Nada village of Byndoor taluk was partially damaged after a tree fell on his house. The loss has been estimated at ₹50,000. According to India Meteorological Department (IMD) predictions, heavy to very heavy rain (115.6 mm to 204.4 mm) is likely to occur at isolated places across all the districts of Coastal Karnataka till 8.30 am on July 6. Heavy rainfall is predicted till July 10. According to rain cell at DC's office, Udupi taluk received 58.9 mm rainfall, Brahmavara got 85.9 mm, Kaup - 50.6 mm, Kundapur - 78.8 mm, Byndoor - 67.3 mm, Karkala- 75.6 mm and Hebri- 141.8 mm rain in the last 24 hours ending at 8.30 am on Tuesday.

Call to declare Thimmakka stretch as reserve grows

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

AFTER Padma Shri awardee **Saalumarada Thimmakka** was honoured with a cabinet rank by the state government, the demand to declare the road where she planted the trees as a conservation reserve has been growing. With conservationists demanding the stretch where she planted the trees be declared as a biodiversity hotspot, environment and forest department officials are trying to take it a step ahead and declare it as a community conservation reserve.

Thimmakka, who turned 111 years on June 30, had planted over 380 trees on the highway stretch connecting Hulikal and Kudur, along with 8,000 trees of other species when she was younger, and had called them her children. The stretch is endangered by tree felling to widen roads.

Earlier, the Karnataka State biodiversity board was working on a proposal to declare the stretch of around 40 km a biodiversity hotspot, but was shelved when board members changed. "The stretch is long, and seeing a lot of traffic. It needs to be protected but the support of locals and government are also important," said an official from the biodiversity board.

An environment department officials explained that once the proposal to declare it as a community conservation reserve is made by the forest department,

opinions of locals in the community will be taken. After approval, it will be sent to the state board for wildlife for its nod. The trees are planted along either side of the road which need protection.

"Once declared a community conservation reserve, protection of the area will be backed up by law. We are hoping the government will not deny the proposal as it will honour the green ambassador. Similar exercises have been done for Bankapur peacock reserve also," said an environment department official.

To ensure that the site is protected, the forest department has also undertaken a survey to record the biodiversity, flora and fauna in the region.

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Official, environment department

EXPRESS READ

Ticket to be e-checked in Bengaluru Rly division

Bengaluru: The train ticket checking staff of Bengaluru Railway Division have adopted the electronic way. A total of 165 Hand Held terminals (HHT) were distributed to the TTEs on Monday by Divisional Railway Manager Shyam Singh. An official release said this was in line with the digital initiative of Indian Railways. "Use of HHTs will benefit passengers as it ensures prompt allotment of vacant berths during their journey. Real-time charting will ensure greater transparency in allotment of berths." 'The move will ensure better productivity norms among TTEs with simplified process of ticket checking," the release read.

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Download of call letters for Pre-Exam Training*	August 2022
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Online Examination - Preliminary	**September 2022**
Result of Online exam - Preliminary	September/ October 2022
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No: SADH(S)TENDER/04/2022-23 **Dated: 05.07.2022**

LETTER OF INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (IFT)

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(Through **GOK e-Procurement Portal** only)

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Calendar of Events: (1) Date of Notification is **05.07.2022. (2)** Tender documents can be downloaded from **11.07.2022. (3)** Tender Closing date **20.07.2022** at **4:00** pm. **(4)** Financially Bid Opening Date: **21.07.2022** at **4:30** pm. Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.**

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1. For details and making On-line bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in. Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at website http://www.cce.gov.in. 2.** All Limited tenders and Advertised tenders will normally close at 11:25 Hrs and 14:25 Hrs respectively on the stipulated date and will be opened at 11.30 Hrs and 14.30 Hrs. **3.** Tender at Sr. No. 1 to 3 will be opened at RCF, Kapurthala and Tender at Sr. No. 4 to 9 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi-110002. **4.** For queries contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF Helpdesk at 011-23378658. **NOTE:** "GST No. of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them".

Corrigendum : 1) Tender No. 07221138 for Supply of S.S. Tube and Double ferrule Fittings **Due date may be read as 15.07.2022** instead of 01.07.2022. **2). Tender No. 14221056** for Fleet Graphic Film for Exterior of MEMU 3-PHASE Coaches **Due date may be read as 11.07.2022** instead of 30.06.2022 and **Eligibility Criteria has been revised.** All other Terms & Conditions of the tenders will remain Un-changed.

Notice No.: G-RCF/122/Stores/039/2022-23 Dated: 05.07.2022 **PCMM**

EAST COAST RAILWAY

SUPPLY OF MATERIALS

E-Tender Notice No.: Sr.DMM/SBP/Stores/ Tender Publication, Date: 23.06.2022

Tender No. 40215328B

DESCRIPTION OF ITEM : SUPPLY OF 19 INCH RACK MOUNTABLE ROUTER AS PER RDSO SPECIFICATION NO. RDSO/SPN/TC/84/2008 REV. 0.0 OR LATEST EQUIPPED WITH 2 FAST ETHERNET LAN INTERFACE & 4 NOS. OF 2 MBPS V.35 WAN PORT INTERFACE FOR WAY SIDE STATION LOCATIONS WITH ALL FITTING ACCESSORIES SERIAL PORT CABLES OR CONNECTORS ETC. MAKE CISCO, HP JUNIPER OR D LINK. WARRANTY-3 YEARS AS PER SCOPE OF WORK & RATE REFERENCE ENCLOSED AT ANNEXURE-A. INSPECTION BY RITES.

Tender Value : ₹32,62,936/-, **EMD 2% :** ₹65,260/-

Tender Closing Date & Time : At 1500 hrs. of 25.07.2022.

E-Tender is not transferrable and the same is to be submitted with DSC by the pre authorized personnel of the tenderer who are already registered in the website.
The Railway deserves the Right to cancel the tender or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Complete details available at : **www.ireps.gov.in**

Sr. Divisional Materials Manager / Sambalpur

PR-250/N/22-23

IN THE COURT OF CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CCH-61)

P & SC No. 13/2021

BETWEEN : Sri Ajith Kumar
Smt. Amrita Ajith Kumar
Both Residents of No. A1-103, Shri Prakriti Apartments, Thindlu Main Road, Kodegehalli, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore - 560097.
...Petitioner(s)
AND : NIL **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named has made petition to the court U/s 327 of the Indian Succession Act for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioners in respect of the schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule was held by Late Smt. T.R. Mini, who was also the wife of the Petitioner No. 1 and mother of Petitioner No. 2, has deceased on 10.03.2020.

Interested Parties are hereby called to hearing in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed **on 16.7.2022 at 11:00 am,** inform to show cause against the petitioners, failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

A. Savings Bank Account No. 561010100035440 at Axis Bank for the period from 03-11-2020 to 01-12-2020, stands in the name of Late Smt. T.R. Mini with balance amount of Rs. 56,193.12 as on 01-12-2020.
B. Mutual Funds with client ID 1551179 (T.R. Mini) invested at Axis Securities Ltd. A total amount invested is of Rs. 6,24,786.19 in the name of Late Smt. T.R. Mini as on 02-12-2020.
C. Equity Funds with Client ID 1551179 (T.R. Mini) invested at Axis Securities Ltd. A total amount invested is of Rs. 6,45,885.39 in the name of Late Smt. T.R. Mini as on 02-12-2020.
D. Apartment No. E-001, Ground Floor, 'E' Block, having super built-up area of 1109 Sq.Ft. in the enclave known as 'Sterling Gardens' at Khatha No. 257, situated at Kempapura, assessed under the City Municipal Council Byatarayanapura, Bangalore.
E. Residing Flat No. 3 (Three), First Floor, 'A' Block, Eastern Wing, constructed in Plot No. 1347, in Arignar Anna Nagar Scheme, Madras, R.S. No. 161 part of Villivakkam Village, measuring two grounds 151 Sq.Ft. and there about bounded on the:-
North by: 48 Ft Road, East By: 30 Ft Road, South by: Plot No. 1389, and West by: Plot No. 1346.
With 7/100th share of undivided share of the above land.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 14th day of June 2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Address for Services : **VSK & Co.**
Advocate & Legal Consultants
JBJ Complex, 2nd Floor, Opp. Indian Petrol Bunk, Above Airtel Store, East of NGEF Layout, Ramamurthy Nagar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 016.

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & J M F C AT NELAMANGALA

C. Misc. No. 190/2022

PETITIONER: SMT. JAYAMMA, D/o late Hucchaiah and Late Gangamma, aged about 58 years, R/at Machanahalli colony, Billanakote Post, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and FOUR OTHERS -V/s-

RESPONDENT: The Thasildar, (Registrar of Births and Deaths) Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioner No.1 and 2's mother and Petitioners No.3's Mother in law and Petitioner No.4 and 5's Grandmother by name **GANGAMMA, W/o Hucchaiah** who died on **26.02.2018** at Niduvanda Village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District The Hon'ble court has fixed on **08.08.2022** for hearing of the petition and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at 11 AM Failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on 02-07-2022.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of Civil Judge (Jr. Dvn.) and JMFC Court, Nelamangala.

Advocate for Petitioner: **DILIPKUMAR .B.A**
Adepete, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client **Sri. Suresh Shetty** S/o. Dharma Shetty, Aged about 38 years, R/at. Laxmi Venkateshwara Nilaya, 2nd Phase, Tagore Road, Udayanagar, Bengaluru – 560016 intends to purchase all that piece and parcel of immoveable property bearing No.28, BBMP Khatha No.820, PID No.820 and Site No.7/A1, comes under BBMP Ward No.72 situated at Gidadakonenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, measuring East to West: 15 Feet, North to South 57.6 Feet, totally measuring 855 Square Feet. Bounded on East By: 25 Feet Road, West By: Site No.21/3B, North By: Site No.27, South By: 30 Feet Road, from the owner Sri.Shivu.H.N. S/o.Nanjundegowda, Aged about 38 years, R/at. No.86, Anjaneya Temple Road, Thippenahalli, Nagasandra, Bengaluru – 560073. Any person/s having any claim or objections to the proposed purchase may write the undersigned within **10 days** of the publication hereof along with supporting documentary evidence, failing which my client will proceed with the transaction and any claim received thereafter will not be entertained.

Sri. CHIKKAHONNAIAH, Advocate
No.17 & 32, Mezzainine Floor, Amar Tower, 1st Cross, 1st Main, Gandhinagar, B'lore – 09.

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL JUDGE AND DISTRICT JUDGE AT BANGALORE, CCH-83

C.O.S. No.470/2021

Plaintiff: The State Bank of India, Small & Medium Enterprises Center (SMECC) Branch, having its office at Koramangala (40688) Airav, 1st Floor, 576/B, Service Road, HSR 6th sector, Bangalore, Karnataka State-560068

Vs

Defendants : M/s. Madhu Packaging and others

Summons to defendants

To
1. M/s MADHU PACKAGING, a proprietorship firm, Represented by its proprietor Mr. Nikil Suresh, No.61, 1st B Main, Sudhamnagar, Bangalore-560027
2. Mr. Nikil Suresh, Major, Proprietor: M/s MADHU PACKAGING, S/o No.61, 1st B Main, Sudhamnagar, Bangalore-560027.
Another Address: No.135, 8th Main, Patel Hanumappa Garden, Navodaya Nagar, J.P. Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore-560078.

Please take summons that the plaintiff Bank has filed suit against you the defendants for Recovery of suit claim amount of **Rs.10,87,444/-** with interest at 11.25% Per annum compounded monthly rest from the date of suit till the date of realization of decretal amount and such other relief. You the defendants hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble court on **08-08-2022 at 11-00 A.M.** in person or through Advocate to submit your written statement and objections if any to the claim of the plaintiff, failing which you will be placed exparte and the suit will be disposed off in your absence, in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Hon'ble court on this **05/07/2022.**

By Orders of the Court
Sd/- Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate for Plaintiff
Sri N.G. Ravi Kumar,
Sri.Rohith RaviKumar, No. 4323, 17th Main, Behind Martin Luther School, Near Vivekananda Park, Girinagar IV Phase, Bangalore-560050.

Indian Bank — Raja Rajeshwari Nagar Branch

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

127, Ground Floor, 9th Main Road, Ideal Home Township, Raja Rajeshwari Nagar, Bangalore- 560098

DEMAND NOTICE

Notice under Sec. 13 (2) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002

Sent on 14.05.2022 by Regd. Post / Speed Post /Courier to ....

Mrs. Shathala S G, W/o. Manjunath, R/o. H.No.22, New No.590, 6th Main, 1st Cross, White City Layout, Seegehalli Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore-560036 (Borrower), **Mr. Manjunath P, S/o. Beerappa Papanna,** R/o. H.No.22, New No.590, 6th Main, 1st Cross, White City Layout, Seegehalli Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore-560036 (Borrower), **Mr. S Gudegowda, S/o. Sonnegowda,** No.13, 17th Cross, Gayathri Layout, Basavanapura, Bangalore-560049 (Guarantor).

Sub: Loan account/s 50328811303 & 50455621531 with Indian Bank Raja Rajeshwari Nagar branch

You committed default in repayment of loans to the tune of **Rs.69,80,890/- (mention the amount due - Book balance+ MOI) as on 20.04.2022** with further interest at the agreed rate from 20.04.2022 till date of repayment.

The Bank issued notice under the Act on **14.05.2022** calling upon you to repay the outstanding amount of **Rs.69,80,890/- as on 20.04.2022** The notice was sent to you by *Regd. post/*Courier/*Speed Post/ (*strike out whichever not applicable) has been returned unserved.

You are called upon to pay **Rs.69,80,890/-** together with interest from **20.04.2022** till date of payment within 60 days from the date of this notice failing which Bank will be constrained to exercise its rights of enforcement of security interest as against the secured assets given in the schedule hereunder. This Notice is without prejudice to any other right remedy available to the Bank.

*****This Notice is without prejudice to any other remedy available to the Bank - including its right to proceed with the proceedings presently pending before DRT/RO of DRT/DRAT/Court and proceed with the execution of order/decree obtained/to be obtained. (***** Delete if not applicable)

SCHEDULE

The specific details of the assets in which security interest is created are enumerated hereunder: **Mortgaged assets:** All that piece and parcel of Eastern Portion of the property House List No.22, Khatha No.22/34 formed out of Property No.34 in the layout Known as White City Project BBMP Khatha No. 22/34, in Ward No. 53, New PID No. 053-W0258-52 situated at seegehalli Villag, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bangalore east Taluk, now property comes under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike measuring East to west 19 Feet and Noerth to South 37 Feet totally measuring 703 Sq. Ft. of house property and also vacant space of 719 Sq. Ft in all measuring 1410 Sq.ft has come up on the above land and **bounded on the:** East: Private Property, West: Remaining Portion of Western Plot No.22, North: 30 Feet Road, South: Part of Plot Nos.25 & 26.

Date: 05.07.2022, Place: Bangalore **Authorized Officer, Indian Bank**

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer-3, Solid Waste Management, Dasappa Hospital Premises, Bengaluru-560 002.

No: EE-3/SWM/TEND/06/2022-23 **Date: 05.07.2022**

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (IFT)

(Two Cover System) (Through GOK e-Procurement Portal only)

The Executive Engineer-3, Solid Waste Management Division, invites bids from eligible bidders for the following work.

SL No.	Name of the Work	Approx. Amount Put to Tender (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Operation and Maintenance of following mechanical sweeping machines. i) 1 Cum Ride On (1 No.) ii) 5 Cum Truck Mounted (8 Nos.) iii) 6 Cum Truck Mounted (1 No.)	**475.00**	7,12,500/-

(1) Tender documents may be downloaded from the GOK e-Procurement website: https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in from **07.07.2022 onwards.** (2) Last date for uploading of Queries: **14.07.2022 upto 4:00 p.m.** (3) Date of pre-bid meeting at the office of the undersigned on **15.07.2022 at 4:00 p.m.** (4) Last date for receipt of tenders: **25.07.2022 upto 4:00 p.m.** (5) Date of opening of Technical bids: **27.07.2022 after 4:00 p.m.** or next working day (6) Opening of financial bids will be intimated to technically qualified bidders.

For details, registration and e-Payment, visit GOK e-Procurement website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or on the BBMP website: www.bbmp.gov.in or contact e-Procurement Helpdesk at 080-22441076 on all working days.

Sd/- Executive Engineer-3,
Solid Waste Management, BBMP

STAY PROTECTED FROM COVID-19, NO CARELESSNESS UNTIL THERE IS A CURE.

Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank limited, #4/10, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Tower, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable assets

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ICICI Bank Limited. will be sold on "As is where is" &"As is what is" as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Co Borrowers/ Guarantors Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mr. Ashoka Chinnaswamy Raju (Borrower) Mrs. Veena Ashoka Raju (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005158695	All that piece and parcel of residential apartment bearing nos.003 & 004 on the ground floor of the multi-storied building known as "Sankeshwaar Crystal", constructed and erected on property bearing composite municipal no.22 (earlier bearing portion of old no 3, then 23, municipal nos.5,6 &7), BBMP Katha no.22, PID no.50-33-22, situated at New School Road, VV Puram, in BBMP ward no.50(VV Puram), Bangalore with details and other attributes mentioned hereunder: Undivided share in: 600 Sq. ft., in the A schedule 'A' Property land. Super built-up area: 4200 Sq. ft., including proportionate share of common area with the floors, balcony, ceiling and walls between apartments jointly belonging to such apartment owners equally with carpet area measuring 3360 Sq. ft., Garden area: 600 sq. ft., Car parking: Four car parking spaces Accommodation: Consisting of living-cum-dining rooms, Pooja Rooms, Kitchens, bed rooms, toilet/s & balconies Roof: RCC Flooring: Vitrified tiles Walls: Solid Cement Blocks Doors & Windows: Aluminium glazed windows & Honne door. Amenities provided: Lift, Water, Electricity and Sanitary Connections	Rs. 4,47,11, 710.32/- (as on July 04, 2022)	Rs.3,85,00, 000/- / Rs. 38,50,000/-	July 12, 2022 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	July 29, 2022 from 11:00 AM to 12:00PM

The online auction will be conducted on website **(URL Link- www.disposalhub.com)** of our auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited.** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **July 28, 2022** before **05:00 PM** else these secured assets will be sold as per above schedule.

The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythree Tower, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **July 28, 2022** before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, #4/10, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Tower, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **July 28, 2022** before **05:00 PM.** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited"** payable at **Bangalore.**

For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **9844542086/ 8008999536** or **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** on **9810029926/ 01244233933**

Please note that Marketing agencies **1. M/s Matexnet Pvt. Ltd on 9886643162 & 2. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.

The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit w**ww.icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: July 06, 2022 **Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

Visveswarapuram Branch, Bangalore - 560 004, Ph: 080- 22959524,22959523
FAX: 080-22959525, E-Mail ID : vvpuram.bengaluru@bankofindia.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

[Rule - 8 (1)] (For immovable property)

Whereas the Authorized Officer of **Bank of India** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Sec 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **30.03.2022** calling upon the Borrower/ Mortgagor/guarantor **Mrs. Vinitha James (Borrower)** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being for Housing Loan of **Rs.37,43,733.04** (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty Three and Paise Four) along with further interest thereon **@ 8.80%** p.a. from **01.03.2022,** for Term Loan of **Rs.3,57,828.09** (Rupees Three Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Eight and Paise Nine) along with further interest thereon **@ 8.80% p.a.** from **01.03.2022** and for Vehicle Loan of **Rs.2,33,869.14** (Rupees Two Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty Nine and Paise Fourteen) along with further interest thereon @ 8.90% p.a. from **01.03.2022,** totalling to **Rs.43,35,430.27** compounded with monthly rests along with further interest, costs expenses and monthly rests thereon within 60 (sixty) days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub section (4) of section 13 of Act read with Rule 8 of the (Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **30th day of June of the year 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.43,35,430.27** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SECURED ASSETS

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of Immovable Property (Land & Residential Building) bearing Southern Portion of Plot No. 35, Sy Nos.59/1 & 59/3, 4th Cross, Brundavan Avenue Layout, Horamavu, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore – 560043. BBMP Ward No. 25, within the Jurisdiction of Sub-Registrar, K R Puram, together with the buildings sheds, standing thereon, measuring East to West 40.3 Ft and North to South 20 Ft, admeasuring 807 Sq Ft. owned by Mrs. Vinitha James W/o Mr. Christopher James Alphonse.The Boundaries of the property: East by: Road, West by : Site No. 41, North by - Remaining Northern Portion of Plot No.35.South by - Site No.36.

Date : 30.06.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangaluru **Bank of India**

Bank of Baroda

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Zonal Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, 7th Floor, Vijaya Tower, 41/2, M G Road, Trinity Circle, Bengaluru – 560 001.
Phone: 080-25011280/286/350 , e-mail: armban@bankofbaroda.co.in, Website: www.bankofbaroda.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE /MOVEABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 6(2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s), mortgagor(s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the **Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, ZOSARB, Bangalore, Secured Creditor**, will be sold by E-auction through website: **https://www.mstcecommerce.com** on **"As is where is", and "As is what is"** basis for recovery of below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/ Mortgagor/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below -

Sr / Lot No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor's and Guarantor's	Description of the Immovable/ Moveable property/ies	Total Dues, Date & time of e-Auction	Reserve Price, EMD, Bid Increase Amount	Status of Possession (Constructive/ Physical) Property	Property Inspection Date & Time
1.	**1) M/s Sai Steel & Roofings** Represented by its Proprietor **Mr. Basavraju S/o V Basappa** No. 130/1, Shed No. 89, Machohalli Village, Bapagrama Post, dasanpura Hobli, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560091 **2) Mr. Basavraju S/o V Basappa** #1699, Simhadri Kuteera Vishweshwaraiah layout 7th Block, Bangalore-560091 (Proprietor) **3) Mrs. Nikita Patil W/o Siddartha Patil,** #166/A, 9th Cross, 12th Main road, D Group Layout, Srigandadakaval, Bangalore-560081. **Also At:** No. 684,5th Cross, North Block Upkar Layout, Bangalore-560056 (Guarantor)	Schedule Property : **Item No. 1:** All that piece and parcel of converted undeveloped lands for ware house purpose, bearing Sy. No 45/2, situated at Mahimpura, Thyamagondalu Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district, measuring 8 Guntas and bounded on: East by: 24 guntas of land in Sy. No. 45/2 Sold to Puttaraj, West by: Sy. No. 45/1, North by: Sy. No.46, South by: Sy. No.45/4 sold to Puttaraju, **Item No. 2 :** All that piece and parcel of converted undeveloped lands for ware house purpose, bearing Sy. No 45/3A, present New Sy. No.45/4, situated at Mahimpura, Thyamagondalu Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district, measuring 8 Guntas and bounded on: East by: 6 guntas in Sy. No. 45/4 sold to Puttaraj, West by: Sy. No. 45/1, North by: Sy. No.45/2, South by: Road **Item No. 3 :** All that piece and parcel of converted undeveloped lands for ware house Purpose, bearing Sy. No 45/1, situated at Mahimpura, Thyamagondalu Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district, measuring 28 Guntas and bounded on: East by: Sy. No. 45/2 Land of Shantilal and Sy. No. 45/4 Land of S.M Raju West by: Narsimhaiah's Land, North by: Bettaiah's Land, South by: Road.	**Rs. 5,01,31,798.42** (Rupees Five Crores One Lakh Thirty One Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Eight & Paisa Forty Two Only) as on 04.07.2022 plus Further interest and other charges. Date of Auction: **24.08.2022 & From 02:00 PM to 06:00 PM**	Reserve Price: **Rs.1,84,00,000.00** EMD: **Rs.18,40,000.00** Bid Increment Amount: Rs. 50,000/- Last Date & time of receipt of EMD Amount: **23.08.2022 Time: 5.00**	**Physical Possession**	**Date of Inspection: 19-07-2022 Time: 11:00AM to 03:00PM**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm** and **https://ibapi.in**. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Tel No. 080-25011280/286/350 Mobile: 8880005818, 9739316716

Date: 05.07.2022, Place: Bengaluru **Sd/- Authorized Officer, ZOSAR Branch, Bengaluru, Bank of Baroda**

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(A Government of India Undertaking)

Syndicate

Cantonment Branch,
No.86, Ground Floor, Spencer Towers, M G Road, Bangalore-560001.
Phone No. 080-25588005. e-mail id : cb0404@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

To,

Borrower : 1. M/S.Archangle Architectural Products Pvt Ltd
No.181, 3rd Floor, KBAR Road, Austin Town Road, Bangalore.
2. Sri B S Gnanaprakash
No.91, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Kumaraswamy Layout, Near Dayanandasagar College, Bangalore - 560078.
3. H S Geetha, W/o B S Gnanaprakash
No.91, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Kumaraswamy Layout, Near Dayanandasagar College, Bangalore - 560078.

That you, **M/s Archangle Architechtural Products Pvt Ltd Directors Sri B S Gnanaprakash and Mrs. H S Geetha (hereinafter referred to as "the Borrower(s)')** have availed various loan against which there are outstanding liabilities as mentioned below. We had called upon you to clear the entire liabilities for the loans borrowed from our Branch.

You have committed default in repayment of loans as mentioned below and the loans were classified as Non Performing Assets on **28-04-2022**. The Bank through this notice brings to your attention that you have failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in hereunder to the Bank **within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.** The notice under Sec.13(2) of the Act sent to you by Post. Ack. Due on **22.06.2022**, has returned undelivered.

Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the bank in recovering its dues.

Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of amounts to as on date **10-05-2022** amounts to **Rs.3,33,60,816.53 (Rupees Three Crore Thirty Three Lakhs Sixty Thousand Eight Hundred Sixteen and Paise Fifty Three Only)** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, The Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13. You are hereby restrained from dealing with any of the secured assets detailed below in terms of Section 13(13).

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

A/C No.	Nature of Loan	Liability as on 10.05.2022	Rate of Interest
0404261009088	Working Capital Loan	**Rs.1,02,04,359.55**	12.00 %
0404710000001	CFITL LOAN	**Rs. 14,52,745.07**	12.00 %
0404717000002	GECL LOAN	**Rs. 62,319.62** (Interest alone)	9.5 %
0404746000013	WCTIL LOAN	**Rs.1,55,88,180.95**	12.00 %
0404747000011	FITL LOAN	**Rs. 8,98,007.72**	12.00 %
0404755000058	GECL LOAN	**Rs. 51,55,203.62**	9.5 %

Details of Security Assets : **Movable** - Hypothecation of stock of Raw Materials, Semi Finished Goods, Finished Goods and Book Debts at their unit New No.12, Sangam Road, Near Commercial Street, Bangalore 560042.

Immovable - 1. Continuation of Existing EMT of 3 (Three) Vacant Residential Sites measuring 1200 sft bearing Site No. 275, 276 and 277, **'Habitat Greens'** Khata #1167/275, 1167/276, 1167/277, Nelamangala Planning Authority (NPA/LAO : 15/2008-09) on land bearing Sy No. 21/4, 22, 24,25,26/1,26/2, 28/3, 29, 37 and 38/1 of Jakkasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore. Bounded by : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site bearing No.284, **North by** : Site bearing No.274 and **South by :** Site bearing No.276. **Name of Title Holder : Mr.B S Gnanaprakash.**

2. Fresh/Substitution of EMT OF 1 (One) Vacant residential sites measuring 4000 sft bearing Site No.61, Khata No.1653/130/61 situated at Kenchanakuppe Gram Panchayat, approved BMRDA vide # BMRDA/LAO/143/2005-06 dated 19/10/2005, **"ABM Info City"**, Sy No.20/5A & 20/6 Kallugopahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagaram Taluk, Bangalore Rural and Bounded on : **East by :** Site bearing No.30, **West by :** 60 feet Road, **North by :** Site bearing No.62 and **South by :** Site bearing No.60. **Name of Title Holder : Mr.B S Gnanaprakash.**

3. Fresh/Substitution of EMT OF 1 (one) vacant residential sites measuring 2400 sft bearing site no. 455, Khata # 2047/130/455, Kenchanakuppe Gram Panchayat approved by BMRDA vide # BMRDA/LAO/143/2005-06 dated 29/10/2015 **"ABM Info City"**, Sy No. 20/4, Kallugopahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagaram Taluk, Bangalore Rural and Bounded on **East by :** Site bearing No.454, **West by :** Site bearing No.456, **North by :** Site bearing No.440 and **South by :** 30 feet Road.
Name of Title Holder : Mr.B S Gnanaprakash.

4. Fresh/Substitution of EMT OF 1 (one) vacant residential sites measuring 1600 sft bearing Site No.354, Khata #1167/354 situated at Jakkasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore and Bounded on : **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site bearing No.353, **North by** : Site bearing No.355 and **South by :** Foot path and park area.
Name of Title Holder : Mrs H S Geetha.

Place : Bangalore Authorised Officer
Date : 05.07.2022 Canara Bank

कार्यालय अधिशाषी अभियन्ता, सा.नि.वि. खण्ड–भरतपुर

क्रमांक : 1477 दिनांक : 16.06.2022

निविदा सूचना संख्या 09/2022–23

राजस्थान के राज्यपाल महोदय की ओर से इस खण्ड के अधीन 02 नं. कार्य एवं **निविदा की कुल राशि रू. 419.62 लाख** हेतु मोहरबन्द निविदाएं आमंत्रित की जाती है, जिससे सम्बंधित विवरण एवं सूचनाएं वेबसाईट **"www.pwd.rajasthan.gov.in"** एवं **"www.dipr.rajasthan.gov.in"** एवं (http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in) पर देखी जा सकती है।

NIB Code : PWD2223A0752
UBN No. : PWD2223WSOB02660
PWD2223WSOB02661

अधिशाषी अभियन्ता
सा.नि.वि. खण्ड–भरतपुर

DIPR/C/8391/2022

BANGALORE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT CORPORATION

Civil Engineering Department, Central Office, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru - 560027.

No.: BMTC/CO/CE/EE/320/2022-23 Date: 05.07.2022

E –PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTIFICATION No.05 / 2022-23

Item rate tender are invited in single cover system for the work of **(1) Providing 11KV HT line to the EV charging station in Depot-12, Kengeri, Bangalore, Amount put to tender: Rs.14.46 Lakhs, EMD: Rs. 36,200/- (2) Providing Ring Main Unit (RMU) Vertical Liner (VL) & connected works to the EV charging station in Depot-07, KGBS, Bangalore Amount put to tender: Rs.9.71 Lakhs, EMD: Rs. 24,300/- (3) Providing additional 11KV line and 400 KVA power to the existing EV charging station at Depot-37, Kengeri, Bangalore, Amount put to tender:Rs. 26.80 Lakhs, EMD: Rs. 53,600/-.** As per Karnataka Transparency in Public procurement ordinance of 2000, and Act 2000, from the Class-I Electrical Contractors/Firms registered in Department of Electrical Inspectorate, GoK. In E-procurement the contractors/firms will have to upload all informations documents and rates etc in website only. i.e., **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** No documents will be accepted in person manually. **(1)** Receipt of tenders: **22.07.2022** Date of opening of tender: **25.07.2022. (2)** Any other information required can be obtained from the office of the Executive Engineer during working hours or through website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, BMTC.

कार्यालय अधिशाषी अभियन्ता, सार्वजनिक निर्माण विभाग, खण्ड नोखा

क्रमांक : 571– 578 दिनांक : 20.06.2022

ई–बोली सूचना संख्या 03/2022–23

NIB CODE No: PWD2223A0786
UBN :- PWD2223WSOB02808

राजस्थान के राज्यपाल महोदय की ओर से मिसिंग लिंक सड़क के निर्माण का शेष कार्य जिसमें कार्य का दोष निवारण एवं उनके सुधार (डिफेक्ट लाईबिलिटी पीरियड) का उत्तरदायित्व कार्यपूर्णता के पश्चात् नियमानुसार रहेगा, के लिए उपयुक्त श्रेणी के सार्वजनिक निर्माण विभाग राजस्थान में पंजीकृत संवेदकों एवं राज्य सरकार/केन्द्र सरकार के अधिकृत संगठनों/केन्द्रीय लोक निर्माण विभाग/ डाक एवं दूर संचार विभाग/रेल्वे इत्यादि में पंजीकृत संवेदकों, जो कि राजस्थान सरकार से नियमानुसार अधिकृत श्रेणी के संवेदकों के समकक्ष हो, से निर्धारित प्रपत्र में ई–टेण्डरिंग प्रक्रिया द्वारा ऑनलाइन निविदाएँ आमंत्रित की जाती है। आर.पी.डब्लू.ए. 100 एवं RTPP Act 2012 & RTPP Rule 2013 की समस्त शर्तें, नियम व धाराएँ निविदा के भाग होंगें। निविदा से सम्बन्धित विवरण वेब साईट **www.dipronline.org** व **http://www.pwd.rajasthan.gov.in & eproc.rajasthan.gov.in & http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in** पर देखा जा सकता है। उक्त कार्य के निविदा प्रपत्र निविदा आवेदन, डाउनलोड करने की दिनांक 22.06.2022 प्रातः 09.30 बजे से दिनांक 12.07.2022 तक सांय 6.00 बजे तक रहेगी।

अधिशाषी अभियन्ता
सा.नि.वि. खण्ड नोखा

DIPR/C/8531/2022

KARNATAKA HOUSING BOARD

3rd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan,
K.G. Road, Bengaluru-560009

Tender Notification (Through E-Procurement portal)

Providing consultancy Services for obtaining Environment Clearance (EC) from MOEF/KSPCB for Sites & Services Schemes in Mincheri village, Ballari taluk & district (Blk 1 to 4)

Notification No. KHB/CE/KSPCB/MOEF/63/2022-23 Date: 02.07.2022

Last date for submission of Bid is on 18.07.2022 up to 4.00 PM

For more information contact below mentioned office address **Executive Engineer, Karnataka Housing Board, Cauvery Bhavan, Bangalore, Telephone No. 080-22213511/080-22100077, website www.karnatakahousing.com, https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Karnataka Housing Board, Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/1208/AKAR/22-23

COVID-19 - DON'T SPREAD RUMOURS. ACT RESPONSIBLY. AVOID INFECTION-NOT THE INFECTED.
Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, GADAG-BETAGERI 582101

District: Gadag State: Karnataka
Tel No. :08372-259932 E mail:

No/Gbcmc/pwd/ Municipal Fund /2022-23 Date : 04-07-2022

Tender Notification

The Commissioner, City municipal council Gadag-Betageri Gadag Dist, Invites Two cover System tenders using Kw-3 document of 02 Tenders according of Amount **178.50** Lakhs under the 15th finance and Municipal Fund, Interested contractors can Participate in Tender For more Information contact Technical Section in Gadag-Betageri CMC in office hours.

Sl. no	Work Indent No.	Estimated Amount (In Lakhs)	EMD	Duration (In Days)
1	131642	78.50	157000.00	120 Days
2	132063	100.00	200000.00	180 Days

E-Procurement Tender started	Date : 05-07 -2022
Free Bid Meeting	Date: 19-07-2022
Last Date of Submission of Tender	Date : 26-07 -2022 Evening : Upto 4:00 pm
Tender Opening Date:	Bids will open on Date : 27-07 -2022 Evening 4.30 pm

For more information Website: www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-(Smt Usha M Dasar)
Municipal President
CMC Gadag-Betageri

Sd/-(Shri Ramesh S Sunagar)
Municipal Commissioner
CMC Gadag-Betageri

DIPR/GADAG/153/2022-23/DESHPANDEPUBLICITY

Government of India

Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
(Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities)
Paryavaran Bhawan, CGO Complex Lodhi Road, New Delhi
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NOTICE INVITING TENDER
FOR

For Selection of Agency for Printing and Dispatch of QR Coded UDID Card

The Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPWD), Ministry of Social justice and Empowerment Government of India implements the Unique Disability ID (UDID) project to create a national data base of PwDs and to issue UDID card. DEPwD invites Tender from the eligible Card Printing Agencies for printing and dispatch of UDID cards to persons with disabilities in all states/Union territories.

2. The tender document and other details can be downloaded from the website of the Department. Website:-www.disabilityaffairs.gov.in and /or www.eprocure.gov.in. However, an amount of Rs. 500/- may be paid in the form of Demand draft drawn in favour of PAO, DEPwD, Payable at New Delhi towards fee for the tender document.

3. DEPwD reserve the right to reject any or all applicant without assigning any reason.

4. Detailed Tender along with all the document confirming compliance to the eligibility criteria should be submitted online on the Central Procurement Portal (CPPP) latest by 18.07.2022, 15:30 HRS.

Vineet Singhal
Director, DEPwD
011-24364391

CBC 38117/11/0021/2223

Government of Karnataka
Office of the Executive Engineer,
Panchayath Raj Engineering Division, Haveri.

Email: eeprednhvi@gmail.com Tel No. 08375-232454

No.EE, REDn/HVR/PB-4/Tender/2022-23/1537 Dated : 02-07-2022

E-Procurement Tender Notification No.42/2021-22 (Call-1 & 2)

The Panchayath Raj Engineering Department through Executive Engineer Panchayath Raj Engineering Division Haveri on behalf of Governor of Karnataka invites the E-Portal Tender as per KW-3 from the eligible and approved Class-I Contractors registered with P.W.D/P.R.E.D. and registered for e-Procurement for each of the following works Various head of account work as follows Details can also be obtained in www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

1) Balambeed-Kalaveyallapur (I.No 91105)/call-2 (2) Aladakatti- Hokana road Balabeed- Suraleshar (I.No 91189) /call-2 (3) Hanagal- Haveri road Havangi cross to Balambeed -Suraleshwar (I.No 91194)/call-2 (4) Harihar-Samsagi road Chikkaunshi-Shankrikoppa (I.No 91204) call-2 (5) Hangal-Gotagodi road - Hunashettikoppa (I.No 91225)/call-2 (6) Yattinahalli M.T.- Purapundikoppa (INo 91227 SC)/call-2 (7) Kelavarakoppa- Ghalapuji (I.No 91231 ST)/call-2 (8) Makaravalli -Gondi (I.No 91233)/call-2 (9) Hanagal-Bommanahalli road (INo 91303 SC)/call-2 (10) Tilavalli- KiravadiYattinahalli (I.No 91304) call-2 (11) Malagunda-Temple road (I.No 91305) call-2 (12) Dolleshwar cross Amba Bhavani Temple (I.No 91306)/call-2 (13) Kudal-Jayanna Sangangoudar (I.No 91054) call-2 (14) Kyasanur -Shivappa Nagappa Daddikoppa (I.No 91055)/call-2 (15) Bailavala-Aregoppa Ambedkar (I.No 91056 SC) call-2 (16) Tilavalli -PWD road (I.No 91091) (17)/call-2 Kusanur Padagatti Maruti Temple (I.No 91093)/call-2 (18) Adur-Noorasab Bhajatri Home (I.No 91097) call-2 (19) Yarekuppi various colony(I.No 91612) (20) Saravan Various colony (I.No 91613) (21) Motebennur-Alalageri joining road (I.No 91614)SC

1) Stating date to downloading blank tender form in e-procurement portal : 02-07-2022
2) Last date for uploading completed tender form And documents e-procurement documents through online : 11-07-2022 upto 4.00 PM
3) Date of Technical bid opening (if possible)(Sl.No1, 6 to Technical bid) & (Sl.No 2, to 5 Financial bid) : 12-07-2022 @ 5.00 PM
4) Date of Financial bid Opening (if possible) & (SL No 2, to 5 Financial bid): : 15-07-2022 @ 11.00 AM

More details can be had from the office of the undersigned and also through our website **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** by clicking List of Tenders which will link to all Dept.works list.

Sd/-Executive Engineer,
P.R.E. Division, Haveri.

DIPR/HAVERI/133/2022-23/DESHPANDEPUBLICITY

(ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ)
ಧಾರವಾಡ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಧಾರವಾಡ

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಧಾರವಾಡ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಧಾರವಾಡ.

ಕ್ರಸಂ : ಕಾನಿಇಂಧಾ/ಪಬಿ–1/ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ / 2022–23 / 2170 ದಿನಾಂಕ : – 02/07/2022.

I.F.T – KW –3

ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ) ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ – e-Proc–, ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಆಡಳಿತ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಅಥವಾ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನುಳಿದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಖಚಿತಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಸದರಿ ಕಛೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಇನ್ನುಳಿದ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿವೆ.

ಕ್ರ ಸಂ.	ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಹೆಸರು	ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ	ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ	ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ	ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ
1	2	3	4		6
	ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ 3054				
2	Improvements to road by Flood damage from SH-73 Jublee circle to SH – 28 (Dasanakoppa Cross) in Dharwad taluka (CH. 0.247 to 0.510). (Work Indent No. 154075).	85.00	13/07/2022	14/07/2022	15/07/2022
3	Improvements to road by Flood damage from Saptapur Tollnaka (KCD Circle) to Chakra ghatta (SH-28) in Dharwad taluka (CH.0.247 to 0.385). (Work Indent No.154 076).	71.00	13/07/2022	14/07/2022	15/07/2022

ಸಹಿ/– (ಶ್ರೀ. ಟಿ.ಎಸ್. ಮುರಳೀಧರ)
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಸಲಾಖೆ,
ಧಾರವಾಡ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಧಾರವಾಡ.

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾ/306/2022–23/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

ಕೋವಿಡ್-19 - ಗಾಳಿಸುದ್ದಿ ಹರಡಬೇಡಿ, ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಯುಂದ ವರ್ತಿಸಿ, ಸೋಂಕನ್ನು ದೂರವಿಡಿ-ಸೋಂಕಿತರನ್ನಲ್ಲ.
ಮಾಸ್ಕ್ ಧರಿಸಿ | 6 ಅಡಿ ದೈಹಿಕ ಅಂತರ ಪಾಲಿಸಿ | ಕೈಗಳ ಸ್ವಚ್ಛತೆ ಕಾಪಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಿ

STATE BANK OF INDIA

STRESSED ASSETS RECOVERY BRANCH

Authorised Officer's Details:
Name: Smt. Jayanthi A., Chief Manager
e -mail Id: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in,
Mobile No: **9448993207**
Land Line No. (Office): 080-25943663/64

Address of the Branch:
No.11/90, 3rd Floor,Near Old Shivaji Theatre,
J C Road, Bengaluru - 560 002.
Tel No. 080- 25943678, 25943663
E-Mail: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in

APPENDIX- IV A
[See proviso to Rule 8 (6)]
E-AUCTION ON 22.07.2022
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the below mentioned Borrower(s)/Mortgagor(s) in particular that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India and whose constructive possession has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **22.07.2022** for recovery of loan dues to the State Bank of India from the below mentioned Borrower(s)/Mortgagor(s)as specifically mentioned hereunder against their names.
The Name and Address of the Borrower(s)/Mortgagor(s), Outstanding dues, and the reserve price, the earnest money deposit (EMD), bid increment for each property of the said Borrower(s)/Mortgagor(s) to be sold will be as under:

(1) Name of the Borrower	**Sri. Patchala Haribabu** S/o Sri.Sambashiva Rao.
Outstanding Dues for recovery of which property is being sold	**Rs.34,03,017/-** (Rupees Thirty Four Lakh Three Thousand Seventeen Only) as on 26.05.2022. You are also liable to pay future interest from 27.05.2022 with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc.

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment amount
1.	Rs. 39,50,000/-	Rs. 3,95,000/-	Rs. 50,000/-

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/SARB/ASJ/2022-23/782
Name of the title deed holder: Sri. Patchala Haribabu S/o Sri.Sambashiva Rao.
SCHEDULE – 'A' PROPERTY : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that part and parcel of property bearing Site Nos. B-55 & B-56, Old House list Khatha Nos. 86/8 & 86/9, earlier Mahadevapura CMC Khatha Nos. 72 & 74, earlier BBMP Khatha Nos. 72 & 74, presently common bears BBMP Khatha No. 72/72/B-55/40, comprised in old property No. 40, situated at Kodigehalli Village, K R Hobli, earlier Bengalore South Taluk, presently Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the administarative Jurisdiction of BBMP, measuring East to West 124.69 feet and North to South on the Eastern Side 74.64 feet on the Western Side 78.65 feet totally measuring 9800 sq. ft with all rights Appurtenances whatsoever here underneath are above the surface, and bounded on East by: Site No.B-57,West by : Road, North by: Site Nos. B-51 & B- 52, South by: Road
SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: 240 Sq. Ft undivided rights, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule 'A' above.
SCHEDULE C PROPERTY: Flat bearing No. G-06 in the Ground Floor measuring about 1095 Sq. Ft Super built up area, containing Two Bed Room, together with RCC roofing, Vitrified Flooring along with One Covered Car Parking Space, including proportionate share in common area such as passage, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multi-storied residential building known as "VIKYATH PRIDE" constructed over Schedule 'A' property.

(2) Name of the Borrower	**Mrs. Gopali Bhambri** w/o Mr. Vinod Hansda.
Outstanding Dues for recovery of which property is being sold	**Rs.30,36,273/-** (Rupees Thirty Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Three Only) as on 25.05.2022 future interest from 26.05.2022 with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc.

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment amount
1.	Rs. 34,00,000/-	Rs. 3,40,000/-	Rs. 50,000/-

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SARB/ASJ/2022-23/781
Name of the title deed holder: Mrs. Gopali Bhambri W/o Mr. Vinod Hansda
SCHEDULE A PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing converted Site No. 90,91,92,97,98, & 99, earlier respective Basavanapura Grama Panchayathi Khatha No.2289, 2290, 2291, 2296, 2297 and 2298, Present common BBMP Khatha No. 249/2289/90,91,92,97,98,99 carved out of converted Sy. No. 95/1, (converted for residential purpose vide conversion order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR (S)131/ 1992-93 dated 05.09.1992 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru) situated at Kammanahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru presently under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, Bengaluru measuring East to West 120 feet and North to South 120 feet, totally measuring 14,400 Sq. Ft with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath of above the surface and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Road, North by: Site Nos. 93 and 96, South by: Site Nos. 89 and 100.
SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: A two Bedroom Apartment bearing Flat No.24 in Second Floor in the residential complex known as " **LAKSHMI VIHARA**" constructed on the Schedule "A" Property having a Super built up area of 1175 Sq. ft. (Which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate share in all common areas) together with in car parking space in Stilt Floor, with 364 Sq. ft of undivided share of interest in Schedule 'A' property and standing in the name of Mrs. Gopali Bhambri W/o. Mr. Vinod Hansda.

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date: 04.07.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorized Officer
State Bank of India,
Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru

SUNDARAM HOME

Regd Office: No. 21, Patullos Road, Chennai - 600 002.
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DEMAND NOTICE
(Under Rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

The under mentioned parties are hereby informed that the Company has initiated proceedings against each of you under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, that the notices under Section 13(2) of the Act sent to each of you separately by Regd. Post Ack. Due have been returned unserved. Hence both of you are hereby called upon to take notice to pay jointly and severally the outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the Company will proceed against the below mentioned properties to realize its dues with interests and costs as contemplated under the Act. Needless to mention that this notice is addressed to you without prejudice to any other remedy available to the Company.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of Borrower & Co-Borrowers	File No.Amount (Outstanding Rs.)	Description of Immovable Property
1	**Mrs. Veena Mohit Kumar (Borrower),** No 109, 6th Cross, K R Layout, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bangalore - 560078 Karnataka. **Mr. Mohit Kumar (Co-Borrower)**	**File No. BJN20190105, Rs. 33,47,235 /-** (+ Interest @ 24% p.a. From 28.02.2022) + Future Interest + Statutory Expenditure + Legal Expenses + Incidental Charges	All the piece and parcel of property bearing Site No.728/B, situated at 8th Block, Anjanapura Extension, Bangalore in the layout formed by the Bangalore Development Authority, Bangalore, measuring East to West 18 Meters and North to South 6.00 Meters totally measuring 108 Square Meters and **bounded on:** East by : Road. West by : Site No.702. North by : Site No.729. South by : Site No.728/A.

for SUNDARAM HOME FINANCE LTD.,
Authorised officer.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
DISTRICT URBAN DEVELOPMENT CELL D.K District

Mangaluru - 575001. Contact No. 0824-2220593 Email: dudc_dkd@yahoo.co.in

No:DUDC/Mun(3) /CR/53/2022 -23/186943 Date-05-07-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, District Urban Development Cell, Dakshina Kannada District, Dakshina Kannada invites e-tenders from Class-1 PWD Registered contractor for Amruth Nagarothana Phase-4 Projects works KTTP Act 1999 Rule 2000 as detailed below.

Sl. No	Description of work	Amount put to tender Excluding GST(Rs.In Lakhs)	EMD Amount (Rs.In Lakhs)	Tender Period (Excluding Monsoon)
1	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Belthangady TP limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT133065)**	**263.41**	3.95	6 Month
2	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Bajpe TP Limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT133061)**	**210.57**	3.16	6 Month
3	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Kinnigoli TP Limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT133059)**	**218.06**	3.27	6 Month
4	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Mulki TP Limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT133056)**	**224.80**	3.37	6 Month
5	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Vitla TP Limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT132843)**	**272.04**	4.08	6 Month
6	Developments of roads, Drains, Building and other works under Amruth Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 project in Kadaba TP Limit **(DMA/2022-23/OW/WORK_INDENT132841)**	**251.18**	3.77	6 Month

For More detailed information please visit website: http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in
Calender of Events are as follows: (1) Last date for Submission of tender: **06-08-2022 @ 5.30PM** (2) Date of pre Bid meeting: **20-07-2022 @ 11.00AM** office of DUDC,D.K+ (3) Date of opening of Technical bid: **08.08.2022 @ 11.00AM** (4) Date of Opening of Financial Bid:**16-08-2022 @ 11.00AM**
Postponement of calendar of events (if any) is only through e-procurement portal and will not be published in newspaper

Sd/-, Executive Engineer, District Urban Development Cell,
D.K district Mangaluru

DIPR/MNG/MCA/330/22-23 dt. 05.07.2022

STATE BANK OF INDIA

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APPENDIX- IV A
[See proviso to Rule 8 (6)]
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY ON 22.07.2022

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Asset under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6)of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **22.07.2022** for recovery of **Rs.1,20,69,190/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Lakhs Sixty Nine Thousand One Hundred and Ninety only) as on 24.05.2022**+ expenses + costs due to State Bank of India, Secured creditor from **Sri.Alex.R** S/o Late Raju.D (Borrower). The reserve price, earnest money deposit bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under:-

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment amount	Last date for receipt of EMD
1.	Rs. 1,03,00,000/-	Rs. 10,30,000/-	Rs. 1,00,000/-	21.07.2022

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/SARB/GAK/790
Title deed holder - Sri.Alex.R
All that piece and parcel of the entire Ground and First floor premises and 50% of the car parking in the stilt of residential property, together with 50% undivided right, title and interest in the land bearing No.1662/4, Katha No.1531, Assessment No.46, situated at Nagarbhavi Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, which now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.38, New Ward No.127, Present Municipal No.18, 9th Main, Byraveshwara Nagar, Bengaluru having PID No.38-75-18, measuring East to West 35 feet, North to South 30 feet in all measuring 1050 Sq.feet standing in the name of Sri.Alex.R S/o.Late Raju.D and bounded on East by: Road, West by: Property of Sri.Poojappa, North by: Property of Smt.L.Prabhavathi and South by: Private Property.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in State Bank of India www.sbi.co.in and MSTCE website www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/ index.jsp.

Date: 05.07.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorized Officer
State Bank of India, SARB, Bengaluru

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Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit	Bid increment amount	Last date for receipt of EMD
1.	Rs. 91,00,000/-	Rs. 9,10,000/-	Rs. 1,00,000/-	21.07.2022

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/SARB/ASJ/2022-23/784
Title deed holder :- Smt.Manjula W/o.Venkatesh
All that piece and parcel of the entire Second & Third Floor premises and 50% of the stilt for car parking in the residential property bearing No.1662/4, Katha No.1531, Assessment No.46, situated at Nagarbhavi Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, which now comes under jurisdiction of Bruhut Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.38, New Ward No.127, Present Municipal No.18, 9th Main, Byraveshwara Nagar, Bengaluru having PID No.38-75-18, together with 50% undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property bearing No.1662/4, Katha No.1531, Assessment No.46, situated at Nagarabhavi Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, which now comes under jurisdiction of Bruhut Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.38, New Ward No.127, Present Municipal No.18, 9th Main, Byraveshwara Nagar, Bengaluru having PID No.38-75-18, standing in the name of Smt.Manjula, Measuring : East to West :35 feet, North to South : 30 feet, in all measuring : 1050 sq.ft, and bounded on : East by : Road, West by : Property of Sri.Poojappa, North by : Property of Smt.L.Prabhavathi, South by : Private Property.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in State Bank of India www.sbi.co.in and MSTCE website www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/ index.jsp.

Date: 04.07.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorized Officer
State Bank of India, SARB, Bengaluru

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EDITORIAL

"It is impossible to live without failing at something, unless you live so cautiously that you might as well not have lived at all—in which case, you fail by default

JK Rowling

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— Ramnath Goenka

FALL IN FMCG SALES SHOWS A DECLINING QUALITY OF LIFE

High inflation is not just a research figure fueling the economic debate. It has a real, negative impact on the daily lives of the masses. In this respect, fast-moving consumer goods (FMCGs) that are bought daily have seen lower sales through June, compared to the previous month of May. From biscuits and shampoos to tea and toothpaste, retail tracker Bizcom reported a fall in sales of 3.1% in urban areas and 0.2% for rural areas for June. The fall in urban sales was mainly impacted by Tier-2 cities where sales shrank by 7.5%. Even in the height of summer, sales of white goods such as air-conditioners and refrigerators fell up to 15% in sequential months, showing a high level of belt-tightening by consumers.

One of the reasons for the falling sales is the price-led growth FMCG companies have been opting for to increase revenue and better bottom lines. FMCG companies are facing higher input costs, and they have been passing these on to consumers with disastrous effects. These companies, with all their market research, should have figured by now how price sensitive the Indian consumer is. High inflationary pressure in the first half of this year, coupled with a poor job market, has forced the Indian consumer to postpone purchases and cut back on consumption.

The fall in FMCG sales is also a worrying indicator of the drop in the quality of life of the Indian consumer, as he desperately seeks to balance his household budget. This is coming round to bite FMCG companies. They have realised a precipitous fall in consumption due to high prices is hurting their bottom lines, and many are shifting back to consumption-led growth.

Given the high inflation, these companies must squeeze their margins to keep prices in check and to stoke demand. The government can help too by reducing Goods and Services Taxes (GST) on essentials to either zero or the 5% slab. Industry bodies have rightly stated that now is the time for 'zero' tax on items such as health care services and deplored the 5% levy on hospital rooms.

REVISE INDEMNITY FOR WRONGFUL CONCEPTION

The Odisha High Court last fortnight said a married woman was eligible for compensation because she came pregnant even after undergoing sterilisation. The succour was worth ₹50,000, including the maximum available indemnity of ₹30,000 and State costs worth ₹20,000. The woman said she cannot bear the expenses of rearing the surprise child. Should she be compensated for not only the standard costs but expenses related to child-rearing and other intangible issues directly related to the pregnancy?

Women's rights bodies, advocates and the government must look into this absent provision in the statutes. The use of sterilisation demonstrates people's acceptance of family planning. If it fails, couples experience unintended tension and long-term worries over finances. These may seem intangibles, but in India today where accidental death suits attract huge damages, 'accidental births' should also merit greater attention where compensation is concerned. In India, wrongful pregnancy suits depend on proving the doctor incorrectly performed the sterilization, the element of negligence in the procedure, and breach of the parents' trust in the effectiveness of the wrongful sterilisation. However, when it comes to recovery, the costs need to be revised to account for the future expenses of surprise children. Yes, an unwanted child with health complications will raise the costs for the parents. But expenses are incurred even for bringing up healthy children. There is a moot point too. A failed sterilisation leads not to a wrongful birth. It causes wrongful conception. And people go in for sterilisation to avoid the latter. Therefore, the compensation claim begins from the point of conception, and the couple's foreseeable losses become valid for consideration.

A related issue needs attention as well. In modern society, women alone cannot be responsible for family planning. Yet, there is an over-reliance on female sterilisation. Male vasectomy figures are minimal. Doctors must be made accountable for incorrect sterilisation procedures, but a bigger priority is gender parity in adopting family planning procedures.

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SAUDI ARABIA AND THE US: CAN THEY DO A TANGO?

PINAK RANJAN CHAKRAVARTY

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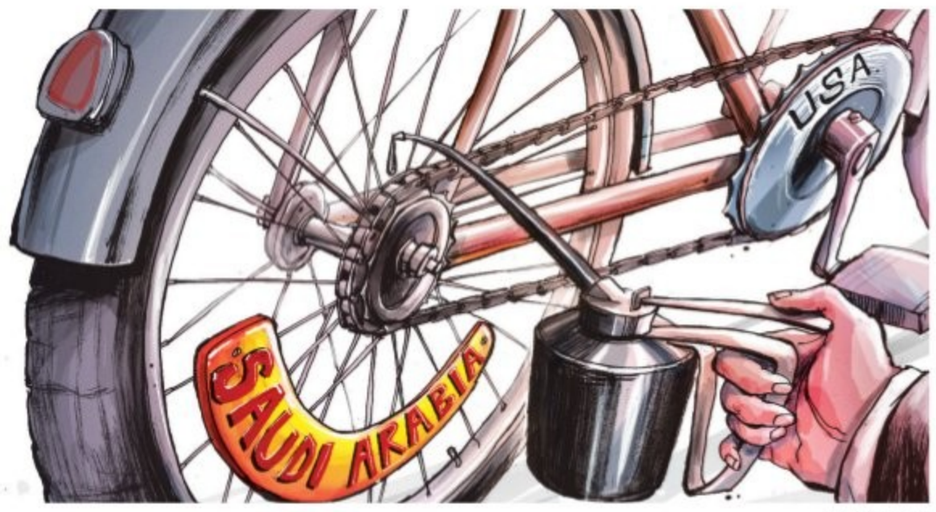

SOUMYADIP SINHA

Rising oil prices have hit all countries and Western sanctions on Russia are causing economic distress and undermining food security globally. Sanctions are also hurting Russia but have not deterred it. US President Joe Biden has announced that he is planning to visit Saudi Arabia in July. Biden will first travel to Israel, USA's longstanding ally, and then to Jeddah. His visit is clearly to mend fences with Saudi Arabia. Having promoted a narrative about the world being in two camps, democracies and autocracies, Biden is bending to the demand of realpolitik. He had famously said during his electoral campaign that he would make a "pariah" out of Saudi Arabia. The US's primary goal is to further its proxy war against Russia and bring down the price of oil. For these goals, Biden is willing to sup with autocrats.

Saudi Arabia and the US became formal allies in 1951 when they signed the Mutual Defence Assistance Programme. This alliance is based on the bilateral compact that the US will extend security guarantees to protect Saudi Arabia and the Al Saud family's grip on power and Saudi Arabia will reciprocate by providing cheap oil and will quote prices in US dollars [hence the term Petrodollars]. Additionally, Saudi Arabia agreed to back the US in its foreign policy initiatives globally, including the fight against communism. The Kingdom provided huge funding for the fight against the Soviet Union in Afghanistan.

The two countries are the most unlikely of allies. They are poles apart in tradition and values. Yet their alliance has endured through the vicissitudes of international politics for over eight decades. The US is the oldest democracy and Saudi Arabia is a deeply conservative Islamic state and a family-ruled oligarchy which imposes the harsh tenets of Islamic Sharia law and gives no democratic freedoms to citizens and foreign residents. The Saudi-USA relationship is a classic example of national interest taking precedence over human rights, democracy, freedom of speech and religious freedom, issues on which the US lectures other countries, including India, the world's largest democracy. Saudi Arabia also generously funded the US military-industrial complex by buying huge quantities of military hardware which it has deployed in its intervention in the Yemen civil war.

This cosy relationship ran into trouble after the 9/11 attacks and deteriorated further after the brutal murder of Jamal Khashoggi, a dissident Saudi journalist. American Intelligence pointed the finger at Saudi Crown Prince Muhammad bin Salman, popularly referred to as MbS, as the mastermind behind the killing. There is no evidence in the public domain to corroborate this conclusion. MbS is the de facto ruler. He is the 7th son of the ailing 86-year-old, King Salman bin Abdul Aziz. The 38-year-old has emerged as a reformer and introduced several policies that have liberalised the strict Sharia-based Islamic laws. He has the support of the younger generation of Saudis in this liberalisation.

The US could not ignore the public outcry that followed the Khashoggi murder and sanctioned Saudi individuals associated with the murder. Biden, however, shied away from applying sanctions on MbS. This soured bilateral ties. Saudi-USA ties were also impacted when the US became a net exporter of oil, following the shale oil boom. The US's dependence on Saudi oil disappeared and public perception of Saudi Arabia in the US became sharply negative. Energy security was tied to American interest in the West Asian region. Realising this, Saudi Arabia charted an independent line on production and pricing of oil. Saudi Arabia also remains unhappy with the US's inconsistent support for Saudi intervention in the Yemen civil war.

The Ukraine war's fallout on energy and food security has led to a rethink. Inflationary pressures have hit the US market, angering American consumers and Biden's popularity ratings have plummeted. The first step in this reconciliation will be the Biden visit, during which he will try to persuade Saudi Arabia to increase oil production and release the supply-side pressure

Saudi Arabia is the 3rd-largest oil producer after the U.S. and Russia. The Kingdom has ignored Biden's requests for increasing oil production but may now be amenable to doing a deal with the US and help control the surging oil prices. Iran remains under sanctions and is steadily advancing its nuclear weapons programme. A deal with Iran will also help release more oil into the global oil market and ease prices. Saudi Arabia is the de facto leader of the OPEC and non-OPEC alliance and has a readily available spare capacity to boost oil production.

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Biden's forthcoming visit has already come under attack from political opponents and other lobbies for reneging on his promises. Biden has recently praised MbS for his support for the ceasefire in Yemen. MbS has played hardball with the Biden Administration but has also cooperated on the military side by taking part in meetings with American and Israeli defence officials, to discuss joint programmes to counter Iran. Israel's sophisticated military arsenal and missile defence systems are the main attraction for Arab countries.

India will be watching Biden's visit with some anxiety. Both the US and Saudi Arabia have moved closer to India over the last decade and India will eagerly await a deal on additional oil production that will lower prices. A reduction in India's oil import bill will be most welcome when economic growth in India is showing signs of rejuvenation.

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VARANASI SUMMIT: SECOND COMING OF MAHAMANA

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Declarations, that signal the successful conclusion of summits and conferences, open up emerging pathways for development and growth. The pace of cooperation and action steps up when the declaration is global and is matched by a national response. That is what is expected to be the precise outcome of the three-day Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Samagam (ABSS) the Ministry of Education (MoE) and University Grants Commission (UGC) are organizing in Varanasi from July 7 to 9. The recent, June 22 BRICS Declaration, which had substantial references to education, will both provide and receive impetus from the Varanasi Declaration on Higher Education, an expected outcome of the ABSS and the free-flowing ideas and deliberations one expects to witness at the summit.

The Samagam will be inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the NEP 2020 ideator and accelerator. The traffic of thoughts and action from some of the best academic vehicles will converge at this platform to take forward the actionable agenda of NEP 2020. The deliberations will be held across ten thematic sessions covering broad areas of higher education, ranging from the vocational to innovation. The summit will hopefully be the springboard for institutions to dive deep into the waters of progressive creativity and not swim towards the shores of regressive safety. As a participant individual representing an implementing institution, I look forward to the dream-come-true moment with the following possible Varanasi Declaration aligned to the ten themes.

The Declaration may announce a "realistic and phased-out timeline" for the much-awaited Higher Education Commission of India. The body will have a multi-stakeholder representation at all levels -- policy, implementation, evaluation and assessment. It will also accommodate the best practices that pre-date NEP 2020 and ensure diversity in its composition and action, symbolic of the complexity in India's vast higher education landscape.

The growing relevance of "holistic education", especially in the current phase of post-pandemic revival, will be addressed by providing full independence to higher educational institutions (HEI) to organise multi-disciplinary and inter-disciplinary engagements. The exercise can be taken up through internal reforms or external models of engagement.

A critical component of the Declaration will be to ensure that "research, innovation and entrepreneurship (RIE)" does not become the exclusive preserve of ivory-tower-type HEIs and becomes accessible to all HEIs irrespective of their categorisation. The "democratisation" of the RIE apparatus can unleash India's knowledge capital that is available aplenty in particularly the grassroots-level institutions. The Declaration is wont to align the governance of HEIs with Prime Minister Modi's 'minimum government, maximum governance' principle. Deserving HEIs shall be freed from regulatory shackles and given full administrative, academic and financial autonomy aligned with the globally acknowledged but nationally dismissed spirit of owner-led institutions being more responsible and accountable than owner-less institutions.

The process of ensuring high quality teaching methods and teachers will have an oversight in the form of the Higher Education Advanced Development for Sustainable Teaching using Robust Technology (HEADSTART). It is an autogenous mechanism that engages the teaching eco-system in a process of continuous improvement through continuous training and development.

The 'phygital' form of education shall be encouraged using the experiences from the pandemic times through a calibrated model that blends online and offline education in a balanced manner without the need to move towards either of the vulnerable extremes

The Declaration will call for evaluating the quality of higher education institutions on the basis of the building blocks of Hind Swaraj, insisting on improving institutional quality based on home rules for home-grown institutions. The 'phygital' form of education shall be encouraged using the experiences from the pandemic times through a calibrated model that blends online and offline education in a balanced manner without the need to move towards either of the vulnerable extremes.

Focused attention on the local language and Indian knowledge system shall strengthen the cognitive abilities and native wisdom of all learners during the formative stages of their careers and build a sense of pride in indigenous forms of knowledge and language.

There shall be a massive unbundling and liberalisation of vocational and skill education by enabling all HEIs to offer various certificate and diploma courses based on local and regional needs to enrich the socio-economic fabric of India's rich economic clusters in rural areas which are already functional as open-air universities without the need for any formal education.

The increase in the gross enrolment ratio through equitable and inclusive education shall be a product of all the pillars of educational growth which need to be built with foundational strength not only by cement and steel but also thought and action flowing from all directions through various partnership models with an ingrained focus on inclusivity, affordability, accessibility and quality.

India's leadership in higher education is not a new-found phenomenon. It is an ancient knowledge empire wanting to strike back in this 75th year of her Independence to become the Vishwaguru by the year 2047. There shall be a strategic framework for internationalising India's higher education not only through brick and mortar institutions but also using the bits and bytes of knowledge, making India an exporter of both hard and soft knowledge. The ABSS is taking place in the holy city of Varanasi in which the inspirational Mahamana established the Banaras Hindu University (BHU) with almost nothing in his hand but everything in his strong mind. The Varanasi Declaration shall not only reflect the multi-dimensional legacy that Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya left behind in the form of a magnificent BHU edifice but also the second coming of his own first self. In short, The Varanasi Declaration on Higher Education shall be the second coming of Mahamana's First.

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Unstoppable party

This is with reference to the editorial *BJP sets its eyes on Telangana in southern march* (July 5). I do believe that BJP's claims about staying in power for another 30–40 years. They demonstrate energy, drive and a sense of purpose. Their massive outreach program 'Sneha Yatra' which aims to connect with the minorities, should be emulated across the country. BJP will have its footprint in Telangana, which other parties have been unable to do.

Haribandhu Panigrahi, Tarbha

Chain effect

This is with reference to the editorial *Odisha must have anti-ragging law* (July 5). It has a profound bearing on the needless and sadistic practice of ragging in the country. States like AP and Maharashtra have denied admission to bullies and have made ragging punishable with imprisonment. This is a very urgent requirement for Kerala too, where incidents of ragging are seen at different levels in education, resulting in the deaths of students. The sadistic ritual of seniors ragging juniors seems to have become a dangerous chain effect.

S Lakshmi, Hyderabad

Tighten anti-ragging law

The suicide of a 19-year-old in Bhubaneswar due to ragging by seniors is sending shock waves throughout the country. This aimless violence that is spreading as fast as air breaks the hopes, ambitions and future dreams of young aspirants. Online ragging adds fuel to the fire. Odisha should tighten its anti-ragging laws—denying admission or imprisonment are certainly apt punishments.

R Pichumani, Kumbakonam

Triple-engine is best

In recent times, many BJP politicians have been talking about the concept of 'double engine'. I want to remind them that we already have a triple engine: central list, state list and concurrent list. This was created to maintain the quasi-federal system. So, I think it is better for the BJP leaders to first read the Indian Constitution instead of reinventing a double-engine wheel.

T Kailash Ditya, Hyderabad

A true journalist

This is with reference to *Hope and despair: Kathy Gannon recounts her 35 years in Afghanistan* (July 5). This article was a fascinating read. To serve in Afghanistan, resolute courage is called for. She must be a perfect foil for the BBC's intrepid journalists like Lyse Doucet and Orla Guerin.

C G Kuriakose, Kothamangalam

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Randeep Singh Surjewala @rssurjewala
Responsibility for PSI Scam lies at the doorstep of then Home Minister, Basavaraj Bommai, nothing more-nothing less. Arrest of ADGP is insufficient.

Piyush Goyal @PiyushGoyal
Nowhere does a system like One Nation One Ration Card exist. The thumb is the ration card & beneficiaries can avail entitlements from anywhere in India.

Mahua Moitra @MahuaMoitra
Centre can't expect to squeeze state revenues, not pay state dues on time, blackmail states and expect no push back.

BJP plans mega outreach to Pasmanda Muslims

Dalit Christians and other marginalised groups also on party's radar

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
@ New Delhi

THE BJP is planning a national movement to reach out to non-Hindu communities, especially Pasmanda Muslims and Dalit Christians. It is in sync with the Prime Minister's call at the recent national executive to promote the marginalised sections.

A conservative estimate says around 80 per cent of India's Muslim population comprises Pasmandas who have lagged behind on economic, social and political parameters. Pasmanda, a Persian word, means being "left out". Muslims suppressed, persecuted and excluded from the development process are referred to as Pasmanda Muslims.

A BJP functionary said: "The party had started the project to identify pasmanda and marginalised groups long time back. All these groups will be brought into the mainstream of the development of the Modi government. Now, this campaign will be turned into a movement."

The BJP's interest reportedly stems from the fact that a majority of the Pasmanda Muslims are believed to have converted to Islam from most downtrodden castes of Hindus. And most of them are still engaged in the same professions as their ancestors pursued before they embraced Islam.

"In almost all the BJP-ruled states, the governments have been asked to start schemes for uplifting the socio-economic conditions of Pasamanda Muslims and other non-Hindu communities highlighting the Modi government's concern for them," a senior source in BJP said.

The first hint of the party's new focus was its decision to induct Danish Ansari in the Uttar Pradesh cabinet. He is the lone Muslim face and a Pasmanda to boot. He handles the minority affairs ministry.

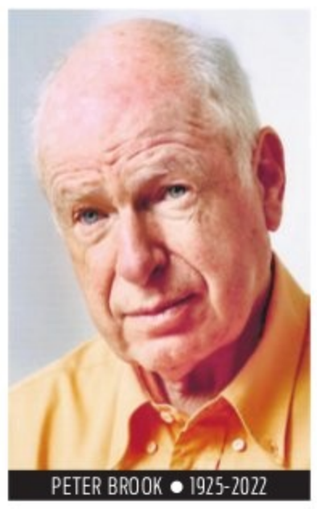
In a private conversation to this daily, BJP sources hinted that party leaders and workers will visit pockets across the country with substantial Pasmanda population. The process of identifying them is on at present.

Pasamanda Muslims and other non-Hindu marginalised communities are said to be in noticeable numbers in as many as 18 states of India.

Dr Ali Anwar Ansari, founder of Pasamanda Muslim Mahaz, told this newspaper: "If Prime Minister Narendra Modi really wants to ameliorate the socio-economic condition of Pasmanda Muslims and other Dalit, non-Hindu communities, he must include them in the SC category instead of the OBC category (under which they are currently included) and increasing their quotas in all sectors of employments."

> **If PM Modi really wants to ameliorate the socio-economic conditions of pasamanda Muslims and other non-Hindu communities, he must include them in the category of SC from OBC category** —Ali Anwar Ansari

Peter Brook's 'Mahabharata' helped Indians reshape their outlook towards epics and ancient tales



PETER BROOK • 1925-2022

THE DISCOVERY OF INDIA BY A COLUMBUS OF THEATRE

IN MEMORY

SAMIK BANDYOPADHYAY
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BROOK WAS A THINKER, EVEN A PHILOSOPHER, IN THE THEATRE WORLD. WHATEVER TEXT HE PRODUCED ON STAGE OR ON SCREEN, FROM SHAKESPEARE TO MAHABHARATA, HE SOUGHT TO CREATE A NEW IDIOM WITH A KIND OF HUNGER

THE Mahabharata was not a text that I would come to, naturally or otherwise. But strange as it may seem, the text — with all its epic-textuality and granularity —came to me, not once but twice over. In the form of a story that Mahasweta Devi, an old friend and co-traveller, wrote and came to narrate the pre-published draft to me. The story of a powerful, gritty tribal girl — Dopdi Maji. Here, Mahasweta turns the disrobing of the beautiful and argumentative Draupadi in the Kaurava court on its head, and transmorphs it amidst the tribal boondocks of eastern India. Later, I was to immerse myself in that dense, multi-layered text as I worked on its translation from Bangla to English by my other old friend, the redoubtable Gayatri Chakraborty Spivak.

However, much before that, the Mahabharata text had accosted me once, via iconic theatre ideologue and director Peter Brook and the text he used, the play by French novelist-screenwriter Jean-Claude Carriere. I had known and followed Brook's work in theatre from his early dabblings in Peter Weiss's Marat/Sade and read about his rather controversial production of Strauss's one-act opera, Salome, with Dali doing the sets to his experimentation with the form of theatre, something that always deeply interested me. Here was a man who had directed the legendary British stage actor John Gielgud, breaking the mould again and again through his experiments on theatre. (His films acquired some reputation and following too, but they were comparatively more staid and safe compared to what he was doing in theatre).

By the time the time I got a call from the British Council, Calcutta (that was how my city was known then), telling me that Brook and Carriere were coming to research and gather material on indigenous Indian art forms still practising the stories of Mahabharata, and also Ramayana — and could I help them? — I, frankly, was in two minds. I had indeed travelled to perhaps every possible nook and corner of India to watch our indigenous theatre forms — in all their splendour and richness, held aloft amidst the sheer struggle for existence against poverty. Trying to understand their possible genealogies and links with other performing arts had been my life's work. There would be only a rare theatre personality or troupe in this land that I did not know of and not interacted with or at least watched. Documenting, as I was, a class war of a different kind, between the elitist threatre bound by the proscenium, funded by state bodies, and the theatre out there...performing outside the arclights, localised yet strangely universal, holding onto their powerful performance aesthetics through stories ancient and contemporary. I could easily take Brook and Carriere around — showcasing the best and the most nuanced. But should I? I asked myself. I had by then a distinct view on the world theatre troupe he had put together, delving into the theatres of Africa, East Europe and now India. It was like the jazz that was played in the Sixties, almost taking it to level of classical music, but then cherry-picking on world music to embellish itself, without actually cracking the code and the context of the music where it existed and came from. Should I be part of such a shopping expedition of cultures? Ultimately, my old Parsi friend at Calcutta BCL, Zarine Choudhury, a brilliant theatre artiste and feminist in her own right, and my urge to share Indian theatre with a larger world audience triumphed. I gave in and the journey began.

Right at the beginning of our conversations, Brook had quite honestly made it clear that he was not looking so much into an Indian text, but a civilizational text about human desires, intrigues, power games, politics, all that made up human existence. I took the Brook-Carriere team to watch, over a two-days-one-night trip, the three Chhaus: Mayurbhanj, Seraikela and Purulia, in that order, the order of their origins. We had as our guide the brilliant singer-anthropologist Dr Pashupati Mahato. My early misgivings about these field survey quickies hit me in the face at the very first stop, the small Mayurbhanj village where the entire village — elders, young men and women, and children — stood in reverential silence watching the dancer lying down, being painted up with stripes, strokes and dots all over his bare body. Brook was impatient, "Why are they not ready yet? Still putting on his makeup?" He was quite rude as a matter of fact. I had to take him aside and tell him, "The performance has begun. The decoration of the dancer-hunter's body is the village's investment in their representative's venture into the forest, risking his life to bring them their daily food. It's no performance, but a total social act that's begun, and hence the holy silence." The two days we spent watching the Chhaus in their locations, first in that the village beside the forest, then the Seraikela palace, and then with the mask-makers of Purulia, was a reading of dance history that Brook and company slowly came to terms with. I stepped off the caravan after that rite of initiation, furnishing them with a roadmap. Next stop for them was Manipur, where Ratan Thiyyam and Kanhaiyalal and his wife, the legendary actress Savitri, were doing their theatre. Moulding the stories of Mahabharata to tell their own stories on stage — of identity and art, sharpened as an artistic protest against mainland Indians. Brook and Carriere were onto quite a journey — getting quite stunned and overwhelmed in the process. I kept suffering from an intense internal debate on having been part of a semi-colonial Colombus project. Anyway, how could that exploration be complete without Kathakali? They were soon at the doorstep of the legendary Kalamandalam Gopi. Brook was left speechless. He would later say that in Kathakali he found the greatest and most 'authentic' instantiations of Indian art.

My tryst with the Brook-Carriere Mahabharata was not over yet. I, unfortunately, could not travel to France to watch the first spectacular staging of the Mahabharata. Brook would not disappoint, though. He was coming to India with the eight-hour-long film he made, based on the production. Again I was called upon. This time, by my dear friend Vijaya Mehta, from the Marathi theatre world. Brook wanted to conduct a theatre workshop in Calcutta, to be followed by the screening of his film. And I was to be anchor-host for the 'event' . You could not say no to Vijaya. And what better place than Nandan? It all happened with the precision and elan (and sleepless nights for his associates) that Brook is known for. Mrinal Sen, Mahasweta, Nabaneeta Dev Sen — all the legends of my city descended not just to watch the film, but also take part in the workshop with Brook, Carriere and the whole Mahabharata troupe. A large, selected group of university students too were drafted in. Brook was taken to task, quite literally. Was there a racial overtone in his production? Why was Bhima dark-skinned? And Arjuna and especially Krishna aloof, intellectual and white-skinned?

Brook was a thinker, even a philosopher, in the theatre world. Whatever text he produced on stage or on screen, from Shakespeare to Mahabharata, he sought to create a new idiom with a kind of hunger that perhaps came naturally to a boy born to Latvian Jewish immigrants, growing up in working-class Birmingham — a hunger that took in the bleak existentialism of a Sartre, the profound disruptions of an Antonin Artaud, and the absurdism of Beckett as if a natural receptacle for them.

Just before leaving Calcutta, my copy of Carriere's text on the Mahabharata had received a unique autograph — Carriere did a pen sketch of Ganesha, with a note saying, 'where it all began'. It was possible for me to rationalise it after all: perhaps my journey with them was not entirely a waste. Culture always lives in a place between belonging and journeying. And if not anything else, they at least understood where it all begins when a traditional Indian play is staged!

Nitish predicts Murmu victory with big margin

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Patna

NDA Presidential candidate Droupadi Murmu reached Bihar capital on Tuesday to muster electoral support from NDA's MPs and MLAs. Chief Minister Nitish Kumar welcomed her and predicted that she would win by huge margin. The election is scheduled to he held on July 20. Murmu was given a rousing reception on her arrival at Jai Prakash Narayan International Airport as artists presented folk culture of tribal community in a highly impressive way.

Later, Murmu paid floral tributes to the statue of Birsa Munda, a tribal freedom fighter and folk hero. Subsequently, the Presidential nominee met NDA MPs and MLAs at a posh hotel in the state capital. Chief Minister and JD-U leader Nitish Kumar was also present on the occasion. Nitish told media persons, "I am hopeful of Droupadi Murmu getting elected (to the post of President) with a huge margin." JD-U national president and MP Rajiv Ranjan Singh said, "All of JD-U' MPs and MLAs will vote in favour of Murmuji. She will surely become the President."

M A Naqvi, Capt Amarinder Singh, Arif Mohammed Khan and Najma Heptullah

Naqvi, Capt, Arif, Najma in list of V-P probables

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

FROM the ruling NDA, three names from the Muslim community and one from the Sikhs are doing the rounds for the post of the second highest constitutional position, the Vice President.

The Election Commission on Tuesday issued a notification for the August 6 polls to elect the 16th Vice President, setting in motion the process of filing nominations by candidates. According to the notification, July 19 is the last date for filing nominations. Political circles are agog with speculation over three Muslim names — Minority Affairs Minister Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi, Kerala Governor Arif Mohammad Khan and former Union minister Najma Heptulla. Capt. Amrinder Singh is the fourth likely candidate from the ruling alliance.

The BJP has enough electoral strength to get its candidate elected as Vice President. The party can again spring a surprise on the lines of its Presidential candidate Droupadi Murmu. The term of incumbent M Venkaiah Naidu ends on August 10. The next Vice President will take oath on August 11. The scrutiny of nomination papers will take place on July 20, and the last date for withdrawal of candidature is July 22.

"An intensive search is on to pick an able, non-controversial leader belonging to the 'pasmanda' Muslim to be named as the Vice-Presidential candidate," said a senior BJP leader.

"If no one is found as per the required profile, the party could zero in on any one of four names — Arif Mohammed Khan, Naqvi, Najma Heptulla and former Punjab CM Amrinder Singh," said the BJP leader.

DISTURBING SURGE IN COVID CASES

- India recorded 93,281 new cases, averaging to 6.8 new cases per 100,000 in June last week
- As many as 144 new deaths, a 53 percent increase, has been reported in one week
- The South-East Asia Region has reported increases over the last four weeks, with over 131,000 new cases
- Concerned over Covid rise, WHO (South-East Asia), Dr Poonam Khetrapal Singh, called on these countries to accelerate Covid-19 vaccination coverage

'Alarming' Covid rise in India: WHO

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

INDIA has reported a 25 percent rise in new cases and a 53 percent rise in coronavirus-related deaths in the last week of June, shows the epidemiological update on Covid-19 issued by the World Health Organisation (WHO).

The world health body said that that the highest numbers of new cases in the South-East Asia region were reported from India in the last week of June. India recorded 93,281 new cases, averaging to 6.8 new cases per 100,000, indicating a 25 percent hike. Even the highest numbers of new deaths in the South-East Asia region were reported from India, the WHO said. As many as 144 new deaths, a 53 percent increase, were recorded in India as compared to the previous week, it added.

After the declining trend in new cases observed since mid-January 2022, the South-East Asia Region has reported increases over the last four weeks, with over 131,000 new cases reported, a 32 percent jump, WHO said .

Khaki vs khaki drama outside TV journo's home

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Lucknow/Raipur

IN what could be called a case of one-upmanship in khaki, a Chhattisgarh police team that had arrived with an arrest warrant at the doorstep of a TV journalist at Indirapuram in Ghaziabad had to hang around empty-handed as its UP counterparts took the journalist away. The attempt to arrest was based on an FIR against him for airing a doctored video clip of Congress leader Rahul Gandhi's comments. Rahul's statement on the attack on his Wayanad office was intentionally or otherwise mixed up with the Udaipur killing in the telecast. The TV channel has since apologized and attributed it to "human error".

The day's drama began around 5.30 am when Zee TV anchor **Rohit Ranjan** spotted the Chhattisgarh police team outside his residence. He reportedly went to the bathroom and tweeted, "Chhattisgarh police are standing outside my house to arrest me without informing the local police, is it legal?" He also tagged Uttar Pradesh chief minister Yogi Adityanath, Ghaziabad SSP and ADG zone Luckow.

Shortly thereafter, a Ghaziabad police team arrived at the spot and did not let the visiting police to arrest him. Later, the Noida police came in and took Ranjan away saying he is wanted in a case in Noida.

In response to Ranjan's tweet, Chhattisgarh police said: "There is no such rule to inform. Police team has shown you the court's warrant of arrest. You should cooperate, join in the investigation and put your defence in court."

Dad, daughter fly jets in formation

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Indian Air Force has just broken new ground with a father and his daughter flying in formation on a combat proficiency mission.

Air Commodore Sanjay Sharma and Flying Officer Ananya Sharma created the record on May 30, when they flew in the same formation of Hawk-132s at the Air Force Station in Bidar, where Ananya is undergoing training.

IAF spokesperson Wing Commander Ashish Moghe said, "There has not been any previous instance in the IAF where a father and his daughter were part of the same fighter formation for a mission."

Since a very early age, Ananya wanted to be a fighter pilot. But, at that time the stream was not open for women. Whenever she would bug her dad about it, he would reassure, "Don't worry you will be one."

Flying Officer Ananya Sharma (L) and Air Commodore Sanjay Sharma | IAF

"Ananya after getting commissioned as fighter pilot came and saluted me. It made me really proud," beamed Air Commodore Sharma. "It was the biggest day of my life when I flew with Ananya," he added in a video put out by the IAF.

Air Commodore Sharma was commissioned in the fighter stream in 1989. He has had an extensive experience of fighter operations, having commanded a MiG-21 squadron as well as a frontline fighter station.

When the first women fighter pilots of the IAF entered service in 2016, Ananya saw her lifelong dream was now achievable. Having completed her B Tech in Electronics and Communication, she was selected for training. She was commissioned as a fighter pilot in December 2021.

Her mother Sonal Sharma said, "I am extremely happy and proud. The feelings I experienced when both Sanjay and Ananya had got airborne in the same formation cannot be expressed in words. It was a feeling way beyond any happiness or satisfaction that I have experienced till now."

ED raids offices of Vivo in several states

New Delhi: The Enforcement Directorate carried out searches at the offices of Chinese smartphone manufacturer BBK Electronics' Vivo and its connected firms in a money-laundering investigation. The company's spokesperson said that Vivo is cooperating with the authorities. "As a responsible corporate, we are committed to be fully compliant with laws," Vivo spokesperson said. The agency carried out searches at 44 places across the country. The searches are being carried out under sections of the Prevention of Money Laundering Act at locations in several states including in Delhi, UP, Meghalaya, Maharashtra and others. The ED is probing alleged forgery being done to launder illegally generated funds using shell companies. *ENS*

'PROBE BJP BRASS'
JK-based PDP on Tuesday staged a dharna in Jammu against the BJP over its alleged association of LeT terrorist and demanded a high-level probe against the party brass

1 BOY FALLS INTO WATER-FILLED LIFT DUCT IN THANE, DIES

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	36	31	Mumbai	30	27
Bhopal	31	24	Panaji	29	26
Jaipur	32	26	Patna	34	30
Amritsar	32	27	Lucknow	34	31
Chennai	35	28	Port Blair	30	27
Kolkata	32	27	Imphal	29	22
Srinagar	28	21	Chandigarh	37	30

Filmmakers booked over Kali poster

Mahua Moitra draws flak, says that for her, 'Kali is meat-eating, alcohol-accepting goddess'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Lucknow/ Kolkata

AMID widespread outrage over a poster of the documentary film, *Kaali*, which portrays a woman dressed as Goddess Kali smoking a cigarette, the Uttar Pradesh Police registered an FIR against the filmmaker, the associate producer and the editor on Tuesday. The Delhi Police too registered a case against Leena Manimekalai. Meanwhile, Trinamool Congress MP Mahua Moitra waded into the issue, saying that for her, "Goddess Kali is a meat-eating and alcohol-accepting goddess." After Moitra's comments sparked controversy, the TMC was quick to distance itself from the leader's remarks.

On Tuesday, the UP Police registered the FIR at Hazaratganj police station on the basis of the complaint submitted by advocate Ved Prakash Shukla against Manimekalai, producer Asha Associates and editor Shrawan Onachan. The complainant said the poster hurt the religious sentiments of a particular community and may lead to unrest.

The Madurai-born filmmaker had shared the poster of *Kaali* on social media on Saturday, saying the documentary was part of an event at the Aga Khan Museum in Toronto.

Talking about the issue, Moitra said, "I, within Hinduism, being a Kali worshipper, have the right to imagine Kali in that way; that is my freedom.

After she drew flak online, Moitra tweeted, "I never backed any film or poster or mentioned the word smoking. Suggest you visit my Maa Kali in Tarapith to see what food & drink is offered as bhog".

The BJP targeted the TMC, asking whether insulting Hindu gods and goddess is the official stand of the TMC. "TMC supremo and West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee should clarify it. We think this is the official stand of the ruling TMC to hurt the sentiment of Hindus to get votes," BJP state vice-president Rathindra Bose said.

The TMC condemned Moitra's remarks, saying they have been made in her personal capacity and are "not endorsed by party in any manner or form."

> **This is not the first time that such instances have been reported. Earlier too TMC leaders have done the same. We think this is the official stand of the TMC to hurt the sentiment of Hindus to get votes**
>
> Rathindra Bose, BJP Bengal vice-president

Hate video: Ajmer khadim booked

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

THE police have registered a case against a second 'khadim' of the Ajmer Dargah for his rant against Nupur Sharma in a video gone viral. The khadim, Salman Chishti, has now gone missing. The Ajmer shrine is revered across all religions.

On June 17, khadim Gauhar Chishti of the Dargah had also given a provocative speech during a silent procession taken out from the Dargah of Garib Nawaz. Post Kanhaiya Lal murder, Gauhar too is absconding, though the police claim to have arrested three others. In the current viral video, Salman says he will hand over his entire property to whoever brings Nupur's neck to him.

The clip is similar to the one made by the two killers of Kanhaiya Lal in Udaipur, Riyaz Attari and Ghaus Mohammad. In this video of about 2 minutes 50 seconds, the man identifies himself as Salman and describes himself as a "true soldier of Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti".

Meanwhile, the NIA has summoned a Bihar native living in Hyderabad in connection with Kanhaiya Lal's murder. After conducting searches at his house in Santosh Nagar, the agency served notices for him to appear before them at Jaipur on July 14.

PROMINENT BUILDER ACCUSED OF FUNDING KANPUR VIOLENCE HELD

Lucknow: Haji Wasi, a builder accused of funding the Kanpur violence that broke out against Nupur Sharma's remarks, was arrested on Monday night. According to Joint commissioner of Kanpur Police, Anand Prakash Tiwari, Wasi was the main financer of Zafar Hayat Hashmi, the alleged mastermind of the violence. Hashmi and Mukhtar Baba, the owner of the famous Baba Biryani, are already in custody. Hashmi's son Rahman has also been arrested. Wasi's name cropped up during Hashmi's interrogation. He was arrested near Amausi airport from where he was about to take a flight.

117 ex-judges, officers condemn SC remarks

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @New Delhi

DESCRIBING the recent comments by the two judges of the Supreme Court against suspended BJP leader Nupur Sharma as "unfortunate and unprecedented in the annals of the Indian judiciary," a group of 117 retired judges, civil servants and defence veterans on Tuesday asked for "urgent rectification steps" to be taken.

In an open letter, they said, "Nupur Sharma sought access to the justice system before the highest court. The observations that have no connect jurisprudentially with the issue raised in the petition, transgressed in an unprecedented manner all cannons of dispensation of justice. She was de facto denied access to the judiciary and in the process, there was an outrage on the preamble, spirit and essence of the Constitution."

Criticizing the observations against Sharma, the 117 signatories further stated, "In the annals of the judiciary, the unfortunate comments have no parallel and are an indelible scar on the justice system of the largest democracy. Urgent rectification steps are called for as these have potentially serious consequences on democratic values and security of the country." They added: "By no stretch, these observations, which are not part of the judicial order, can be sanctified on the plank of judicial propriety and fairness."

Sharma had knocked at the door of SC, urging for clubbing of multiple FIRs registered against her in many states over her communal remarks.

On July 1, the vacation bench of Justices Surya Kant and J B Pardiwala had said that Sharma's "loose tongue" had set the "entire country on fire" and that she is "single handedly responsible" for the aftermath. The bench refused to entertain Sharma's plea for clubbing the FIRs.

Defending her plea for clubbing of FIRs, the open letter said, "One fails to understand why Nupur's case is treated at a different pedestal. Such an approach of the Supreme Court deserves no applause and impacts the very sanctity and honour of the highest court of the land."

The signatories included former Bombay HC chief justice Kshitij Vyas; former Gujarat HC judge S M Soni; former Rajasthan HC judges R S Rathore and Prashant Aggarwal; former Delhi HC judge S N Dhingra; former IAS officers R S Gopalan and S Krishna Kumar; retired envoy Niranjan Desai; former DGPs S P Vaid and B L Vohra; Lt Gen V K Chaturvedi (retd) and Air Marshal S P Singh (retd).

> **'Surpassed Laxman Rekha'**
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> "We, as concerned citizens, do believe that democracy of any country will remain intact till all the institutions perform their duties as per the constitution. Recent comments by the two judges of the SC have surpassed the Laxman Rekha," the open letter said

DGCA probing both incidents

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"DURING cruise, the windshield of the outer windshield pane cracked," a spokesperson said.

Officials at DGCA said it is probing the two incidents on Tuesday, along with five incidents in the recent past.

On July 2, a SpiceJet flight heading to Jabalpur returned to Delhi after crew members observed smoke in the cabin at around 5,000-feet altitude. On June 19, it experienced two incidents — of engine malfunction and cabin pressurisation.

Earlier, the DGCA had slapped ₹10 lakh fine on the airline for the faulty stimulator and barred 90 SpiceJet pilots from flying B737 Max aircraft.

However, SpiceJet claims the airline's flights are absolutely safe. "Safety of our passengers, crew and aircraft is paramount to SpiceJet. We have been regularly audited by DGCA," the spokersperson said.

SpiceJet has been making losses for the past three years. The carrier's auditors have repeatedly raised doubt about its ability to continue as a going concern.

EXPRESS READ

Take steps to stop criminals from entering politics: Allahabad HC

LUCKNOW: The Lucknow bench of Allahabad High Court exhorted the Indian Parliament and the Election Commission of India (ECI) to take effective measures to keep criminals away from politics to demolish the unholy nexus among criminals, politicians and bureaucrats.

SP EXPANSION: AKHILESH YADAV LAUNCHES MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

JUST two days after dissolving all frontal organisations of the party, Samajwadi Party chief and former Uttar Pradesh chief minister Akhilesh Yadav kicked off a membership drive here on Tuesday.

Revealing his intent to reach out to people at the grassroots level, Akhilesh said the membership drive would be carried out at tehsils, zones and districts across the state. He added that he would soon reveal the number of new people who join the party.

While interacting with media persons, Akhilesh said those who are perturbed with the BJP government are approaching the SP. In a terse message to ally Suheldev Bharatiya Samaj Party (SBSP) chief OP Rajbhar, the SP chief said he does not need anyone's advice. Rajbhar, after the bypoll defeat, had called Akhilesh a "Twitter politician" who does not want to come out of an air-conditioned room. He had even suggested that SP and BSP come together once again for the cause of the poor.

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> Akhilesh Yadav, Samajwadi Party chief

Over the alleged annoyance of another ally, Mahan Dal chief Keshav Dev Maurya, and dejection of Rajbhar, Akhilesh said, "If someone is miffed, we can't do anything about that. We are working for the expansion of our party, others should think of their outfits."

While explaining his absence from the bypoll scene, he said his party cadre had given him the confidence that they would win Rampur and Azamgarh hands down so he did not go for campaigning.

Akhilesh also targeted the Yogi government's celebration of completion of 100 days, and said, "The CM should speak about his achievements of five years and 100 days. Even today this government is cutting the ribbon for the projects completed by the SP government."

He also took a jibe at UP's Deputy CM Brajesh Pathak without taking his name, saying, "The officers do not listen to the deputy CM. The recent transfers were done without consulting him."

ED summons Azam Khan's family members in money laundering case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Tuesday summoned Samajwadi Party leader Azam Khan's family members for questioning in a money laundering case. The investigating agency has summoned his son Abdullah Azam Khan, the MLA from Swar assembly seat in UP, and wife Tazeen Fatma.

They have been asked to join the probe separately before the ED's regional office in Lucknow this week. They are likely to be questioned in connection with the transfer of large sums of money for the construction of Mohammad Ali Jauhar University. They may also be questioned in the disproportionate assets case against Khan. The agency will record their statements under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act in the case being probed against the 73-year-old leader.

The ED has already questioned Khan when he was lodged in Sitapur jail. He was released in May after 27 months after the SC granted him interim bail in a forgery case. ED started probe against Khan in 2019 after taking cognisance of at least 26 FIRs filed by the state police against him.

BJP's Vande Gujarat Vikas Yatra will cover 33 districts, eight municipal corporations, and all the wards of Gujarat to connect with the voters | EXPRESS

82 chariots to be part of BJP's outreach yatra in poll-bound Gujarat

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA
@ Ahmedabad

THE BJP has started an aggressive campaign on the government as well as organisation front ahead of the Gujarat Assembly elections. The BJP government started its Vande Gujarat Vikas Yatra on Tuesday. The campaign will be held from July 5-19 under the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav to spread information regarding the development works done in Gujarat under the BJP rule in the last two decades.

The Gujarat BJP also launched a Dashboard app through which booth-level information will be collected and analysed at the BJP head office, to kick off its membership drive.

The dashboard application will be used to collect the opinion of every person, state BJP state president CR Patil said. "Data will be collected by contacting people in 50,000 booths. Attempts will be made to know the opinion of the common people about the schemes of the central and state governments," he added.

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> CR Patil, BJP

For the 'vikas yatra', 82 chariots, including 25 chariots with LED screens, have been prepared. They will be taken across the state under the leadership of Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel, and other leaders. The yatra will cover 33 districts, eight municipal corporations, and all the wards. Over 2,500 programmes will be held and 25,000 new development works will be announced as part of the programmes.

"Each chariot is scheduled to cover 10 villages daily," Gujarat government spokesperson and cabinet minister Jitu Vaghani said.

Polls in sight, Cong set to replace its J&K chief

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

IN a bid to end factionalism and revive the party ahead of first Assembly polls in Jammu and Kashmir Union Territory, the Congress is looking to replace its J&K Congress chief, Ghulam Ahmed Mir.

Sources said meetings of party leaders were held in New Delhi to discuss the change. In the meetings, AICC general secretary (org) KC Venugopal, in-charge J&K Rajni Patil and Mir, discussed the probable names to take up the post. Six names — three each from Kashmir and Jammu — are said to be under consideration for the post in J&K Congress, which is ridden with factionalism. While Vikar Rasool, G M Saroori and Manohar Lal are the candidates from Jammu, Peerzada Mohammad Sayeed, Tariq Hamid Karra and Ghulam Nabi Monga are in the race from Kashmir.

The party may prefer a leader from Jammu region in view of the changed political scenario and increase of seven Assembly seats in the region after the revocation of Article 370 and bifurcation of J&K state in 2019.

According to sources, Rasool, a former minister, is the top favourite as he is accepted by all and is also close to former J&K chief minister Ghulam Nabi Azad.

He was one among the dissident J&K Congress leaders who had written a letter to party chief Sonia Gandhi seeking Mir's removal. Mir was appointed to the post in 2014. During his tenure, the party did not fare well in 2014 Assembly polls and he himself lost the parliamentary election from Anantnag Lok Sabha seat in 2019.

Uddhav may face fresh mutiny, this time from Sena's Lok Sabha MPs

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

OVER to Lok Sabha post Shiv Sena revolt in Maharashtra Assembly. Indications are that Sena chief Uddhav Thackeray is likely to face yet another mutiny by his party MPs who are reportedly pressuring the leadership for a patch-up with the BJP.

Sources said of the 18 Sena Lok Sabha MPs, eight met in Delhi where they decided to persuade the party leadership to resume alliance with the estranged saffron cousin.

"We won the 2019 Lok Sabha elections against Congress and NCP candidates. Five years on, we cannot have an alliance with them. The major problem with the two parties is that we will not be able to transfer our Hindutva votes to them. That will make us look weaker against the BJP," said a Shiv Sena Lok Sabha MP requested anonymity.

"We have seen the major revolt... New CM Eknath Shinde will definitely break the Sena further to consolidate his position," said the Sena MP.

Calling for a "course correction, repair and cementing of ties with the world's biggest party," he said, "We are afraid that without BJP support, we will not win the Lok Sabha polls. Therefore, we are urging our leadership to take the call. But it maintains that the BJP has attacked the Thackeray family," the MP said.

In the first such attempt, party MP Rahul Shewale on Tuesday wrote to Uddhav asking him to support NDA candidate Droupadi Murmu in the Presidential polls.

"We had supported Congress candidate Pratibha Patil and Pranab Mukherjee in the Presidential polls. This time too, we should support Murmu," Shewale said.

The party's yet another MP Bhavna Gawali also wrote to Uddhav asking him to resume the tie-up with the BJP.

BJP betrayed; NCP, Cong supported us: Uddhav

Mumbai: Interacting with women party workers, Uddhav said when Shiv Sena agreed to an alliance with Congress and NCP, many people told him not to trust them. "But what happened later is that the two stood by us during the crisis while those whom we trusted (Shinde camp) betrayed us," said Uddhav

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MCQ format for UG entrance at Jadavpur

Jadavpur University will screen applicants for undergraduate courses in the science faculty through multiple-choice questions (MCQs). An institute official said the admissions panel of the Science faculty struck down the idea of screening candidates on short-answer type questions as the assessment of scripts would come in the way of timely publishing of results. A set of 50 MCQs will be set in each of the four subjects — Physics, Chemistry, Geography and Mathematics — that have opted for admission tests, he said. Only the Geology department will continue with the practice of admitting students on the basis of Class XII marks.

Heroes of '69 Andaman expedition felicitated

The city-based Sea Explorers' Institute on Monday celebrated the golden jubilee of Andaman Abhijan in which two young Indians, Pinaki Chatterjee, 23, and George Duke, 25, ventured in a non-motorised wooden boat to travel from Kolkata to the Andaman and Nicobar Islands. At an event organised in Kolkata, Duke, who is presently settled in Dubai, recounted the breathtaking 28-day expedition in 1969 where Chatterjee and him accidentlly went offline for four days, only eventually to be spotted by the air force. At the event, Duke also announced a rafting competition from Gangotri to Howrah.

Structural tests of Parama Flyover soon

The state urban development authorities decided to engage a Mumbai-based engineering firm with national footprint to assess the condition of the Parama Flyover and draw up a report with suggestions for corrective measures. The exercise is being held a little over five years after a critical assessment of all the components of the flyover was conducted, which connects EM Bypass in the east with Park Circus and AJC Bose Road flyover in the west. The TPF Engineering will conduct a preliminary survey of the 7.5-km flyover with engineers from the Kolkata Metropolitan Development Authority (KMDA).

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Beijing	29	22	TDS	Los Angeles	26	17	LC
Colombo	30	26	LC	Melbourne	16	6	HR
Dhaka	33	27	TDS	Moscow	29	21	HR
Dubai	39	34	SNY	New York	32	22	LC
Houston	33	26	SNY	Singapore	31	27	TDS
Istanbul	28	21	LC	Toronto	22	17	LC
London	26	16	LC	Washington	33	23	LC

NATO NATIONS SIGN ACCESSION PROTOCOLS FOR SWEDEN & FINLAND

The move further increases Russia's strategic isolation in the wake of its invasion of Ukraine

BRUSSELS

THE 30 NATO allies signed off on the accession protocols for Sweden and Finland on Tuesday, sending the membership bids of the two nations to the alliance capitals for legislative approvals—and possible political trouble in Turkey.

"This is truly a historic moment for Finland, for Sweden and for NATO," the head of the alliance, Secretary-General Jens Stoltenberg, said.

The 30 ambassadors and permanent representatives formally approved decisions made at a NATO summit in Madrid last week, when the leaders of member nations invited Russia's neighbor Finland and Scandinavian partner Sweden to join the military club.

Securing parliamentary approval for the new members in Turkey, however, could still pose a problem even though Sweden, Finland and Turkey reached a memorandum of understanding at the Madrid summit.

Finland's Foreign Minister Pekka Haavisto (L), Sweden's Foreign Minister Ann Linde (R), and NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg attend a media conference | AP

Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan warned that Ankara could block the process if the two countries failed to grant Turkey's demands for the extradition of people it views as terror suspects. He said Turkey's Parliament could refuse to ratify the deal. It is a potent threat since NATO accession must be formally approved by all 30 member states, which gives each a blocking right.

The foreign ministers of Sweden and Finland were asked whether the memorandum specified people who would have to be extradited to Turkey.

"We will honor the memorandum fully. There is...no lists or anything like that in the memorandum..." Swedish Foreign Minister Ann Linde said.

Finnish Foreign Minister Pekka Haavisto was equally adamant. "Everything that was agreed in Madrid is stated in the document. There are no hidden documents behind that or any agreements behind that," Haavisto said.

Every alliance nation has different legislative challenges and procedures to deal with, and it could take several more months for the two Nordic nations to take their place as official NATO members.

Meanwhile, Spain is increasing military spending as it works toward meeting a NATO commitment by dedicating 2% of GDP to defense, the government said.

Spain pledged at a NATO summit held in Madrid last week that it would reach the 2% of GDP goal by 2029. That would mean doubling its budget for military spending from the current $13.4 billion to $27 billion in seven years.

Spain currently spends 1% of its GDP on defense. *AP*

SUNAK, JAVID QUIT

LONDON

TWO of Britain's most senior Cabinet ministers resigned on Tuesday, a move that could spell the end of Prime Minister Boris Johnson's leadership after months of scandals. Treasury chief Rishi Sunak and Health Secretary Sajid Javid resigned within minutes of each other after a day in which the prime minister was forced to acknowledge he had to change his story on the way he handled allegations of sexual misconduct by a senior member of his government.

"It is with enormous regret that I must tell you that I can no longer, in good conscience, continue serving in this government,'' Javid said in his letter. "I am instinctively a team player but the British people also rightly expect integrity from their government." Sunak said "the public rightly expect government to be conducted properly, competently and seriously."

Rishi Sunak

"I recognise this may be my last ministerial job, but I believe these standards are worth fighting for and that is why I am resigning."

Johnson has been hit by allegations he failed to come clean about a lawmaker who was appointed to a senior position despite claims of sexual misconduct. Johnson has faced pressure to explain what he knew about previous misconduct allegations against lawmaker Chris Pincher, who resigned as deputy chief whip Thursday amid complaints that he groped two men at a private club.

Minutes before the resignations of Javid and Sunak were announced, Johnson said Pincher should have been fired from the government after a previous 2019 incident. Asked if it was an error to appoint Pincher to the government, Johnson: "I think it was a mistake and I apologise for it. In hindsight it was the wrong thing to do." *AP*

Zimbabwe's golden way to tackle inflation

Representative image of gold coins

HARARE

IN a bid to combat rising inflation, Zimbabwe's central bank stated on Tuesday that it will start issuing gold coins as a form of currency to stabilise its deteriorating economy.

According to *Reuters*, John Mangudya, the central bank governor, said in a statement on Monday that the coins will be available in US dollars, local currency and other currencies from July 25 for sale.

The price would be pegged according to the cost of production as well as the international price of gold. Christened after Victoria Falls, the Mosi-oa-tunya coin can be exchanged for cash and be traded locally and internationally.

Investors generally use gold coins to combat wars and inflation. According to *Reuters*, the gold coin will contain one troy ounce of gold and will be sold by Fidelity Gold Refinery, Aurex and local banks.

Guardian, quoted Mangudya as saying that the gold coins would decrease the demand for the dollar and be a store of value.

Previously the high demand for the US dollar has led to a decrease in value of the local currency.

In June, the annual inflation of Zimbabwe reached to about 192%. The country increased its policy rate last week to 200% from 80% and planned to make US dollar the legal tender for the next five years.

In 2009, Zimbabwe decided to adopt the US dollar along with few other foreign currencies after the value of its own currency took a nosedive. Although its government brought back the local currency in 2019, it has failed to regain its value.

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Managing Director

Irrigation Department , Office of the Superintending Engineer
Project Circle, Piravom
REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) / SHOPPING PROCEDURES

Name of work	DRIP- Phase II- Standardization of Maniyar Barrage - Renewal of Electrical installation and DG set — General Electrical work
Tender ID	2022_SEPCP_497798_1
RFQ No.	01/RFQ/SEPCP/2022-23/NS
Estimate PAC	Rs.1926098/-
Date of Publishing	04/07/2022, 2 P M
Bid Submission end date	18/07/2022, 2 P M
EMD	Rs.48200/-
Tender Class	Electrical B-class

Sd/-, Superintending Engineer

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No: BMICAPA/CLU-01/09/2018-19 Date: 05.07.2022

RECTIFIED PUBLICATION

Smt.P.Sugandhaveni has requested for Change of Land use as per Section 14(A) of KTCP Act 1961 pertaining to Land in Sy.No:288/3 (Old Sy.no:132) measuring an extent of 00Acre-15Guntas of B.M Kaval Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk from Agricultural zone to Park and Open space use. In this regard paper publication was issued in The New Indian Express and Vijaya Karnataka dated 04.01.2022. Since, Residential layout is to be developed in the total land of Sy.No:288/3 measuring 04Acre. The park and open space shall be read as Residential use. Objection, if any, are invited from the public, the Objection may be filed with Member Secretary, BMICAPA, Bangalore in writing to the above address mentioned in this publication within 16 days from the publication of this notice. Any objection received after 16 days will not be considered.

Sd/- Member Secretary,
B.M.I.C.A.P.A., Bangalore

DIPR/CP/Adwit/1215/2022-23

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Short term Tender Notification

Tender No: dpar/5/spm/2022-23 Date: 05.07.2022

Under the Karnataka Sakala Services Act. 2011 and (Amendment) Act, 2014 in order to provide Manpower Services (03 Group-D Staff & 02 Drivers) for the period of two years to Sakala Mission. DPAR(e-Governance) through e-procurement mode through website http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in of e-Govemance department. Tenders are invited from qualified bidders in two parts namely (i) Technical Bid. (ii) Financial Bid.

The Tender process is as follows: (1) Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/Clarification: 08.07.2022, 17.30 Hours. **(2)** Last Date & Time for Receipt of Tender: 12.07.2022. 17.30 Hours **(3)** Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid: 13.07.2022, 17.30 Hours. **(4)** Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid: 15.07.2022, 11.00 Hours.

Sd/-
Administrative Officer & Tender Inviting Authority
Sakala Mission
DPAR (e-Governance)
Government of Karnataka

DIPR/CP/1216/AKAR/22-23

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned Advocate on behalf of my clients **Shabeena & Others** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Bakash S/o Ahamed Sab was died on 17-05-2014** at Wad No.6, Agasara Beedhi, Devanahalli Town, Bangalore Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Prl Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of **hearing on 05-08-2022 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Misc.No.198/2022.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Smt. Umme Asma, Advocate,

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Public are hereby informed that we **Mr. H. R. SHAMU** S/o. Late H.N.Ramakrishnaiah Shetty, **Mr. H.R. SRINIVAS MURTHY** S/o. late H.N.Ramakrishnaiah Shetty intending to purchase the schedule property from its owner **Mr. .V MUNIRAJU** S/o. Late Venkatappa residing at Mangammanapalya Village Bommanahalli Post, Bengaluru-560068 Any person/s, company, Financial Institution, Firm etc, having any claim or objection for the proposed purchase having any right, title or interest in Schedule Property may contact or lodge such claim and objection in writing with supporting documents within **FIFTEEN DAYS** from the date of publication failing which it will be presumed that there are no valid claims charges and encumbrance whatsoever over the Schedule Property and we would proceed to complete the sale transaction, any claim received Lodged thereafter will not be considered.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT PART AND PARCEL of the Site **No. 16/13/16,** Khata No.187, Bommanahalli Nagarasabe, Assessment No.16:13, Situated at **Ellukunte Village Site No:16, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District** measuring East to West 30 feet North to South 40 Feet, totally measuring **1200 Sq.feet,** and bounded as follows:

East by : Site No.15, West by : Site No.17, North by: Road, South by: Site No.13.

H.R. SRINIVAS MURTHY,
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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client proposes to purchase the schedule property from the owner **1.Mr. G.N. MADHUSUDHAN & 2. Mr. G.N. MANOHAR,** both sons of Late. G. Narayanswamy, residents of No.3520/C, 6th A Cross, "C" Block, Gayathrinagar, Srirampuram, BANGALORE 560 021 and same is purchased in terms of the Sale Deed dated 04-11-2004, No.5201/2004-05, Book I, recorded in CD No.RJND 57 and registered at the office of the Senior Sub Registrar, Rajajinagar Bangalore.

Any person or persons having any claims/ objections for the above sale transaction may lodge their claims/objections with documentary evidence within **fifteen (15) days** from the date of publication of this notice with the undersigned, failing which, thereafter my client shall proceed to complete the sale transaction. Any claims received beyond stipulated period will not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Immovable property being the Southern portion of property bearing Corporation No.18 (formerly BDA No.448), 5th Main, Gokula 1st Stage, 4th Phase, Bangalore, Ward No.45-Malleswaram, Bangalore, Ward No.45-Malleswaram (old Ward No.7) together with building thereon comprising of ground floor of 180 Square Feet of commercial and 660 Square Feet of First Floor of residential and the entire site measuring :
East to West : 56-0 Feet, North to South : 15-0 Feet, Total area :: 840 Square Feet
and bounded as follows :
EAST BY : Property bearing No.521 & 520, WEST BY : Road, NORTH BY : Northern portion of property bearing Property No.18/1 (old No.18), SOUTH BY :Property bearing No.449.

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IN THE COURT OF XIV CIVIL JUDGE CCH-28, AT BANGALORE
P & SC No. 325/2022
PETITIONER V/s RESPONDENT

1. Sri. Lakshmichand Mangilal Jain Also Known as M. Lakshmichand Jain S/o Late P. Mangilal Jain, Aged about 52 Years R/a No- 974, II Main, IV Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010 — **Nill**

2. Smt. Shanta Bai W/o Late. P Mangilal Jain, Aged about 73 Years R/a No- 974, II Main, IV Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010

3. Smt. Asha Mardia W/o Anil Kumar Mardia, D/o. Late P Mangilal Jain Aged about 54 Years R/a. 238, Aralegudi Cottonpet Main Road, Chickpete, Bengaluru - 560053

4. Smt. B. Manju Nahar W/o Budhraj C Nahar D/o Late P Mangilal Jain Aged about 42 years R/a H-702 ETA Garden, No.9, Agrahara Magadi Road, Binny Pet, Bengaluru- 560023

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named petitioners have made petition to this Court under Section 372 of the Indian Succession Act for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the Petitioner No.1, in respect of the schedule asset mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule was held by Late Sri. P Mangilal Jain, the father of Petitioners No.1, 3 & 4 & husband of Petitioner No.2 who expired on 18.01.2021.

Interested parties hereby called upon to appear before this Court either in person or through pleader duly instructed on 28.07.2022 at 11 AM to show cause against the Petitioners failing which the above petition will be heard in your absence by considering the Respondent as NIL.

SCHEDULE

All movable and tangible properties of Mr. P. Mangilal Jain (either individually and/or as nominee and/or as proprietor in proprietorship concern and/or as partner in any partnership firm and/or as Designated partner of any limited liability partnership and/or as director of any Company and/or in the capacity of HUF) which includes but not limited to cash in hand, balance in his all or any accounts, i.e., savings, current and any other accounts whatsoever, whether held in his name or in the name of proprietorship concern (including but not limited to M/s. Variant Impex) or in all and any capacity which includes but not limited to a partner, designated partner, trustee, director whatsoever, fixed deposits in various banks and/or Financial Institutions, all monies in PPF accounts alongwith accrued interest thereon (including but not limited to PPF Account No. 54033169504 with State Bank of India in the name of Mr. P. Mangilal Jain), all and monies to be received including bonus accrued thereon in LIC or any other insurance provider, all monies to be received from various Banks, Financial Institutions, debtors, loans, advances advanced to debtors, all advances and credits with any of the Firms, all shares, both listed and unlisted, all and any movables in the lockers, all and any gold, silver, diamond jewelery, watches and all and any such other movables together with all and any liabilities of Late. Mr. P. Mangilal Jain.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 4th day of July,2022.

ADVOCATE for PETITIONER
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The Project Director, Project Management Unit, LSGD, Rebuild Kerala Initiative, for and on behalf of the Governor of Kerala invites online bids for the Consultancy Services from the Registered consultancy firms which meet the following eligibility criteria can participate in the bids.

A. Flood Affected Bridges of LSGD - TENDER

1. The Firm should have carried out DPR/FSR for minor bridge category having span more than 15m.
2. The Firm should have an annual average turnover for last three years (FY2020-2l , FY2019-20 and FY2018-19) equal to or more than 10 lakhs.

The tenders are published in the websiie www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Sl No.	Name of Works	Probable Amount of Contract	Period of Completion	EMD	Tender Fee	e-Tender Submission last date	Website & tender ID
	2	3	4	5	6	7	9
1	Consultancy services for survey, investigation, design and assisting in preparation of detailed project report for rehabilitating flood affected lsgd bridges in kerala (Alappuzha district)	9,23,729	3 Months	13900	1850	19/07/2022, 6PM	etenders.kerala.gov.in, 2022_LSGD_49 7449 _1
2	Consultancy services for survey, investigation, design and assisting in preparation of detailed project report for rehabilitating flood affected lsgd bridges in kerala (Ernakulam and Thrissur district)	4,01,483	3 Months	6100	850	19/07/2022, 6PM	etenders.kerala.gov.in, 2022_LSGD_49 7449_2
3	Consultancy services for survey, investigation, design and assisting in preparation of detailed project report for rehabilitating flood affected lsgd bridges in Kerala (Idukki District)	9,98,941	3 Months	15000	2000	19/07/2022, 6PM	etenders.kerala.gov.in, 2022_LSGD 49 7449_3
4	Consultancy services for survey, investigation, design and assisting in preparation of detailed project report for rehabilitating flood affected lsgd bridges in Kerala (Kannur, Palakkad and Wayanad District)	5,79,025	3 Months	8700	1200	19/07/2022, 6PM	etenders.kerala.gov.in, 2022_LSGD_49 7449_4

B. Flood Affected Foot Bridges of LSGD - RETENDER

1. The firm should have carried out DPR/FSR for steel foot bridge category of an aggregate number of not less than 3 numbers having span more than 50m and one single project (under single contract) of span not less than 75m.
2. The firm should have an annual average turnover for last three years (FY 2020-21, FY 2019-20 and FY 2018-19) equal to or more than 50 lakhs.
3. The key personnels shall have completed DPR/FSR for bridge category of an aggregate number of not less than 2 numbers or one single project (under single contract) of span not less than 50m

1	Consultancy services for survey, investigation, design and preparation of detailed project report for rehabilitating flood affected lsgd foot bridges in kerala.	7,50,424	3 Months	11300	1550	19/07/2022, 6PM	etenders.kerala.gov.in. 2022_LSGD_ 497302_1

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POSSESSION NOTICE
Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)
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WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No. 3 of 2002) issued a Demand Notice dated **05.04.2022** calling upon the borrower:**Sri.Vikas Chandra** S/o.Anuj Kumar Sharma to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.9,41,279/-** (Rupees Nine Lakhs Forty One Thousand Two Hundred and Seventy Nine only) as on 03.04.2022 and interest & expenses thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower has failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on **02.07.2022**.

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an aggregate amount of **Rs.9,63,877/-** (Rupees Nine Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Seven only) as on 30.06.2022 + interest + expenses thereon.

The borrower's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY : SCHEDULE –A PROPERTY (Entire Property) : All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential converted property bearing Survey No.77/3 to an extent of 17 Guntas and Sy.No.77/4 to an extent of 34 Guntas, total measuring 1 Acre and 11 Guntas situated at Adigondanahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District and Bounded on : East by : Land bearing Sy.No.76/5, West by : Private Property, North by : Sy.No.69/1, South by : Golden Enclave Phase II.

SCHEDULE –B PROPERTY (Property hereby sold): All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being residential converted property bearing Site No.283, Khatha No.635, formed in the Schedule 'A' property measuring East by : 30 feet, West by : 30 feet, North by : 49.16 feet, South by: 49.41 feet, total measuring 1478 sq.ft, situated in the Schedule 'A' property in the Layout approved by Anekal Planning Authority (BMRDA) and known as "Golden Enclave Phase -3", standing in the name of Sri.Vikas Chandra, situated at Adigondanahalli Village, AttibeleHobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District and bounded on : East by : 12 meters Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Site No.284, South by : Site No.282.

Place:Bengaluru
Date: 02.07.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer
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Market Watch

MARKET			FOREX		
100.42	Sensex	53,134.35	Dollar	79.33	
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Govt justifies 5% levy on hospital rooms

Revenue Secretary Tarun Bajaj on Tuesday said the decision would not affect affordable healthcare services

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

AFTER the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) voiced its concerns over 5% levy on hospital rooms with rent exceeding ₹5,000, the government justified its move saying a very small percentage of such rooms are there in the country.

Revenue Secretary **Tarun Bajaj** on Tuesday said the decision would not affect affordable healthcare services.

"If I can spend ₹5,000 on a room then I can also pay ₹250 as GST on it. I don't see any reason as to why 5% tax rate would hit the affordable segment," Bajaj added.

Speaking on the sidelines of an event hosted by the Confederation of Indian industries (CII), Bajaj also said the government-appointed Group of Ministers (GoM) is looking at GST rate rationalisation. He said there is a need to wait for sometime as the GST Council would not like to burden the consumers in these times. He

further added that there is a need to prune the exempted-GST items. Bajaj also emphasised on the need for continuing with 28% GST slab in a developing country like India. He said as there is lot of dispairty in income levels of people in the country, it is imperative to impose higher tax on luxury and sin goods. He also expressed his doubts over the implementation of one GST rate citing challenges. However, he added that it would be easier to merge 5%, 12% and 18% into two slabs.

"I don't know whether India is ready to go for one GST rate... But, perhaps with time as we keep correcting the inverted duties and get rid of exemptions, I think perhaps this 5%, 12%, and 18% can first go into two rates. But it's a challenge even to do that," Bajaj stated.

In addition, he said, 28% slab in GST contributes 16% to the gross GST collection, whereas as much as 65% of the total revenue comes from 18% slab. Slabs of 5% and 12% contribute 10% and 8% respectively to the total gross GST revenue.

ASIANOMICS

JAPAN

JAPAN MAY REAL WAGES POST BIGGEST DROP IN NEARLY 2 YEARS ON INFLATION

Japan's real wages extended a decline in May to post the biggest year-on-year drop in nearly two years, government data showed on Tuesday, as consumer inflation hovering near a seven-year-high outpaced nominal wage growth, reducing households' spending power. Higher living costs amid low-wage growth are likely to curb Japan's consumption-led economic recovery from the coronavirus pandemic. Inflation is also a top issue for voters in an upper house election on Sunday, although Prime Minister Fumio Kishida's ruling party likely to increase the number of seats it holds, according to an opinion poll published on Monday. In May, inflation-adjusted real wages, a key gauge of consumers' purchasing power, fell 1.8% from a year earlier, the labour ministry said. The biggest slump since July 2020 followed a downwardly revised 1.7% decline in April. The consumer price index rose 2.9% in May, hovering near 3.0% in April that posted the largest jump since October 2014.

TAIWAN

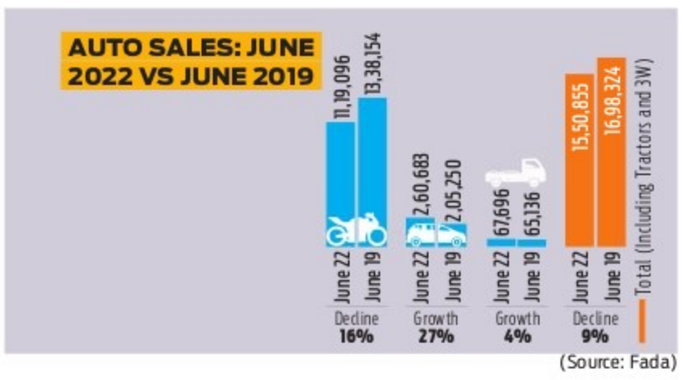
TAIWAN SAYS 'NOT PESSIMISTIC' ABOUT ECONOMY AS STOCKS SWOON

Taiwan's Economy Ministry said on Tuesday it was cautious but "not pessimistic" about the island's economic prospects in the second half of the year, pointing to strong exports, despite a swoon in share prices on its stock market. After a strong performance through 2020 and 2021, Taiwan assets are being dumped as investors start to worry that rising interest rates around the world are going to hurt economic growth for the export-dependent island, a major producer of semiconductors. The benchmark index has dropped 21% this year, completely unwinding 2021 gains. The currency has lost 7% on the dollar. The ministry said in a statement that the global economic situation in the second half of the year does have "various variables" that need watching, but Taiwan industry's fundamentals are good, as are exports. Both exports and export orders in May were positive and Taiwan's chip industry is a world leader, which will help support growth. Recent fluctuations in Taiwan's stock market "are mainly affected by uncertainty in the international environment", it added.

PAKISTAN

PAKISTAN CENTRAL BANK MAY RAISE RATES BY 125 BPS TO TAME 13-YEAR HIGH INFLATION

Pakistan's central bank looks set to raise its key policy rate by 125 bps at its review on Thursday, as it attempts to tackle 13-year high retail inflation, according to snap polls. The economists, analysts and senior professors surveyed were widely split on the quantum of increase by the State Bank of Pakistan (SBP), with views ranging from 50 to 200 bps. The central bank raised the benchmark interest rate by 150 bps in May, taking the total increase to 400 bps so far this year to counter rising inflation. The South Asian nation is wrestling with economic turmoil, a fall in reserves and a weakening currency. Data on Friday showed consumer prices in June leapt 21.3% from a year earlier, largely on account of a 90% spike in fuel prices since the end of May after the government scrapped costly fuel subsidies. With the current policy rate at 13.75% and inflation running well above, real interest rates in the economy have turned sharply negative. Most believed a hike was inevitable, given persistently high global energy prices, the abrupt ending of fuel subsidies as well as the need to control demand after SBP said in its last policy statement the economy had rebounded much more strongly than anticipated.



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Retail auto sales in June 2022 fell 9% as against June 2019 fig

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

AUTO industry is yet to recover to pre-covid level as total retail auto sales in June 2022 fell short by nearly 9% vis-a-vis June 2019 numbers, the pre-pandemic month. However, when compared to covid-19 and lockdown hit June 2020 and June 2021, sales in June 2022 witnessed a sharp surge.

According to data issued by FADA (Federation of Auto Dealers Association), total retail auto sales in June 2022 stood at 15,50,855 units as against 16,98,324 units in June 2019, a decline of 9%. While passenger vehicle (PV) sales grew by an impressive 27% in June 2022 when compared with June 2019 as supply of semiconductors improved, it was again the two-wheeler segment that dragged the overall sales.

PV sales in June 2022 stood at 2,60,683 units as against 2,05,250 units sold in June 2019, up 27%, while two-wheeler sales last month stood at 11,19,096 units when compared to 13,38,154 units sold in June 2019, down 16%.

"The 2W segment still remains the biggest cause of concern and is not picking as per expectation. Poor market sentiment, especially in rural India, high cost of ownership, inflationary pressure and June generally being a lean month due to rains kept 2W sales at low speed," said FADA President, Vinkesh Gulati.

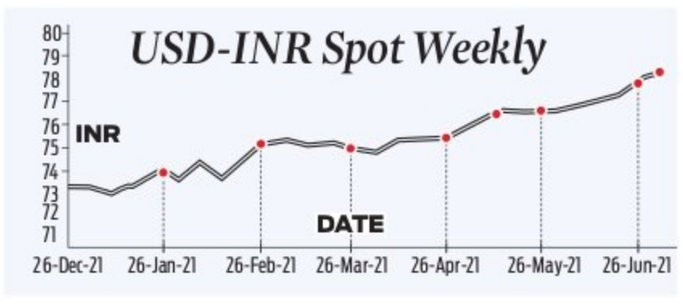
He added that the PV segment continued to see robust growth and an increase in wholesale clearly shows that semi-conductor availability is now getting better. "Waiting period, especially in the compact SUV and SUV segment, continued to remain high. New vehicle launches are seeing robust booking, thus reflecting a healthy demand pipeline," said Gulati.

Rupee plunges to record low as dollar climbs, trade deficit widens

RAM SAHGAL @ Mumbai

THE rupee, which has borne the brunt of huge FII outflows amid a rise in commodity prices since the start of the year, plunged to all-time low of 79.37/38 to the dollar on Tuesday, triggered by the dollar index rising to a two-decade high and fears of a rise in the trade deficit.

The DXY, which measures the greenback against six of the world's leading currencies, rose above 106 on fears of a recession in Europe amid high gas prices. Though prices of crude, India's largest import item, are off the Ukraine war induced high of $140 a barrel, fears of a rise in trade deficit persist, making the rupee vulnerable to the increased volatility. Amid these challenges, certain brokerages expect further weakness in the local unit in the coming months. For instance, brokerage firm Nomura expects the rupee to test 82 to the dollar by Q3,2022,



and 81 by Q4, 2022, on "weakening India BoP dynamics, aggressive Fed hikes and rising US recession risks" among multiple headwinds. The country's current acc unt deficit could rise to 3.3% of GDP in the current fiscal year (FY23) from 1.2% in FY22, the brokerage estimates.

KN Dey, managing partner, United Financial Consultants, expects the rupee to trade in a 78.5-80 range this month . FIIs sold Indian shares worth $6.43 bn in June as the US central banks raised a benchmark interest rate, reducing the risk free rate of return from investing in risky assets in EMs like India. Separately, India's trade deficit ballooned to a record $25.63 bn in June from less than $10 bn a year ago. Religare Broking's Sugandha Sachdeva expects the rupee to head towards 80-81 zone against the dollar, "though the RBI is expected to proactively intervene in the markets to curb the pace of decline in the domestic currency." Meanwhile, Brent futures contract on Tuesday hit the 10% lower circuit at $102.12 as the DXY hit a two decade high.

Think credit solution for MSMEs: Vaishnaw

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

UNION minister for electronics and IT Ashwini Vaishnaw on Tuesday appealed to start-ups to come up with a credit solution for micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs), and also requested them to take UPI to other countries.

Three countries have already signed up to use UPI, he said.

"One big challenge where start-ups can help is in supporting the MSMEs. Can we come up with a credit solution for MSMEs? A solution where a very short time with minimal paper work can be provided to MSMEs," he said at the National Startup Conference held on Tuesday as part of the Digital India Week 2022. He also asked entrepreneurs to expand Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) to make it the next UPI.

"Can we expand ONDC to make it the next UPI? I request all of you to have a serious look at it. We believe that ONDC can be the next UPI. Just look how you can leverage it for your business," he added. Ashwini Vaishnaw also explained how different sectors - defence, Railways and telecom- provide various opportunities to start-ups. "We have nearly 70,000 start-ups and over 100 unicorns," he said, adding start-ups should make use of GENESIS, a recently launched platform. "We would like GENESIS to become your gateway to different support systems which include mentors, funds, pitching partners and your gateway to various government programmes," he said. Chandrasekhar told start-ups that their capabilities of leadership and entrepreneurship are increasingly defining new India.

RBL share tanks 7% on slowing deposit growth

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THE RBL Bank share tanked 6.9% to ₹81.5 on Tuesday after the lender said in a business update to the stock exchanges that its deposits grew 6% to ₹79,217 crore in the June quarter - a multi- quarter low - which disappointed the Street. The growth was flat from the preceding quarter's ₹79,007 crore.

The lender saw R Subramaniakumar taking charge as CEO on June 24 from the interim MD & CEO Rajeev Ahuja. The latter took charge after the surprise exit of Vishwavir Ahuja in December last year.

The CASA, however, improved 14% year-on-year (YoY) to ₹28,525 crore, with CASA ratio rising by 36%. CASA ratio is a measure of deposits in the current and savings accounts to a bank's total deposits. A higher ratio means that a greater portion of the lender's deposits are in current and savings accounts, implying a lower cost of funds. The bank said asset quality parameters on the portfolio continues to see improvement in Q1FY23, in line with the improving trend of the past few quarters. While gross advances grew 7% yoy, retail advances de-grew 5% YoY. Monthly options data suggests, the stock has support at ₹80 and ₹75 while resistances kick in at ₹90 and ₹100. It has fallen from a 52-week high of ₹226.40 on July 8 last year to a low of ₹74.15 on June 20 .

Hiring at 4 months high in June

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

EVEN as Indian startups continued to lay off young talents, a report released on Tuesday showed positive trend in hiring sentiment in the job markets in June.

Hiring activity in India witnessed a 22% year on year (YoY) growth in June 2022, according to a report released by job portal naukri.com.

Naukri JobSpeak Index in the month stood at 2,878, only second to the peak in February 2022 when it crossed 3,000.

The demand for entry-level talent continued to record the highest yearly growth (30%) in June 2022. Additionally, growing hiring sentiment was observed for other experience brackets such as 4–7 years (19%), 8–12 years (17%), 13–16 years (21%), and over 16 years (17%) in June'22 as compared to June 2021.

The report says geographically hiring for entry-level professionals surged, specifically in Mumbai (93%) among metros, apart from Kochi (105%) among tier-2 cities. "Interestingly, this growth in hiring for freshers was led by various sectors including travel & hospitality (158%), retail (109%), insurance (101%), accounting & finance (95%), BFSI (88%), and education (70%)." Among industries, travel and hospitality continued to show maximum surge in hiring activity at 125% in June'22 as compared to June'21, followed by retail (75%) and BFSI (58%).

LONDON-BASED CRYPTO LENDER NEXO TO BUY VAULD

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

IN a latest consolidation in the crypto space, London-based virtual currency lender Nexo on Tuesday said it will acquire up to 100% in Vauld, which recently suspended all withdrawals, trading and deposits, citing financial difficulties.

"I understand that a lot of our customers are nervous about your funds. We are working tirelessly to ensure your financials are protected. We have signed an indicative term sheet with Nexo," Vauld CEO Darshan Bathija announced on Twitter.

In a blog post, the crypto lending platform said the current market climate has led to a significant amount of customer withdrawals in excess of $197.7 million since June 12, 2022. The biggest crypto lender Nexo has over 4 million users worldwide. Meanwhile, Rajagopal Menon,

Crypto exchanges see huge withdrawals

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vice-president of Crypto exchange WazirX, said the tax regime needs to be balanced to encourage participation and revive trading volumes. WazirX and Zebpay have launched a Trader Sentiment Survey involving about 9,500 respondents.

According to the survey, 83% of traders believed that the recent tax implementation deterred their trading frequency and 24% are contemplating shifting their trading activities to international exchanges owing to high taxation.

Apart from 30% tax on crypto assets, 1% TDS is levied on cryptocurrencies and Non-fungible Tokens (NFTs). Menon said it is important that the regulations support the inclusive growth of all stakeholders involved.

The report says the worst-impacted were millennials compared to their senior counterparts. Nearly 28% have sold over 50% of their holdings before April 1, and 23% wished to move their holdings to a globalexchange to avail a more favourable tax climate. This emigration poses a significant risk in terms of investors falling prey to non-KYC compliant international exchanges.

OnePlus commences Nord 2T sale at ₹28,999

SABIKA ZEHRA ABIDI @ New Delhi

ONEPLUS commenced sale of its much-hyped Nord 2T 5G on Tuesday at a starting price of ₹28,999.

As per the official website of the company, Nord series now consist of five smart-phones and all of them are priced between ₹20,000 and ₹30,000. These phones, according to trade analysts, are a big hit and are helping the Chinese smartphone maker to boost its sales in the Indian market.

OnePlus sales grew by 347% year-on-year in the first quarter of calendar year 2022, driven by Nord CE2 5G and 9RT shipments. Nord CE 2 5G was also the top 5G smartphone model in Q1,2022, as per the data released by Counterpoint Research. Xiaomi in Q1CY2022 led the overall market with a 23% share, followed by Samsung at 20%. The South Korean company also led the ₹20,000-₹45,000 price segment with a 28% share in Q1CY2022.

Nord 2T 5G, which will replace Nord 2 that was launched in 2021, is loaded with Mediatek's newest Dimensity 1300 chipset and comes with two storage and colour options- Jade Fog and Gray Shadow. The 8GB RAM + 128GB storage model is priced at ₹28,999, while the 12GB RAM + 256GB storage model is priced at ₹33,999.

Nord 2T sports a 6.43-inch AMOLED display that supports full HD+ resolution. Its camera setup includes a 50MP Sony IMX766 primary camera with OIS support, an 8MP ultra-wide-angle lens and a 2MP tertiary sensor. For selfies, Nord 2T features a 32MP front shooter. The smart-phone packs a 4500mAh battery that supports 80W SuperVOOC fast charging and will boot OxygenOS 12.1 based on Android 12.

Single-use plastic ban to have minimal impact on big FMCG companies

SAMIKSHA GOEL @ New Delhi

THE single-use plastic ban by the government will have a minimal impact on listed FMCG companies, according to Kotak institutional Equities (KIE) and industry experts.

However, the KIE report says a potential extension of this ban to other single-use plastic (SUP) items such as sachets/pouches/wrappers/laminated tubes in the medium-term could impact volumes or profitability of many consumer goods categories.

Government's ban on single-use plastic, including plastic straws, has come into effect from July 1, 2022.

"The current ban covers items, which have a low utility and high littering potential, which are not widely used by large consumer companies

and hence will have a limited impact for now. Among the banned items, plastic straws which are used with low value packs of juices/beverages (by companies like Dabur 2.5% sales) could see an increase in cost from ₹0.25-0.30 to ₹1-1.25 per unit (industry estimates) as they switch to imported paper straws," says the report.

"We believe that the share of plastics used for these banned SUPs is not large (less than 2-3%), it said, adding that potential extension of ban to SUP used for packaging could impact consumer companies."

Nidhi Verma. head of IR & corporate communication at Tata Consumer Products, told TNIE that at a company level, there aren't many products which fall under the purview of the ban.

"So the only vertical which would have been impacted would have been Starbucks perhaps but Starbucks has already moved to paper packaging and other recyclable products. The other business, which is beverages, doesn't have any straws in the products. So it doesn't really impact us."

Bajaj Consumer Care MD Jaideep Nandi also informed TNIE that the impact of the ban on the company will be less than 1%.

New Zealand women, men cricketers to get equal pay

NEW ZEALAND CRICKET

In a first in world cricket, New Zealand men and women will receive the same match fees across formats and competitions, according to a ground-breaking five-year deal between the sports' governing body in the country and the players' association

Not a happy ending

Bairstow, Root slam unbeaten tons to complete record run-chase and level series, India fail to defend target again

VENKATA KRISHNA B @Chennai

THE writing was on the wall. Needing only 118 runs to square the series, Joe Root and Jonny Bairstow didn't take much time on Day 5 as they notched up unbeaten centuries to take England home in just over an hour-and-a-half of cricket Tuesday. The defeat means India's wait for their first series win in England since 2007 continued as they blew away a glorious opportunity to lift the Pataudi Trophy having done all the hard work to take 2-1 lead in 2021.

Having set a target of 378 to win the Test, India were left without any answers as England launched a stunning assault on Day Four, which virtually settled the fate of the tie. It was in complete contrast to how the bowling unit responded in the first innings, where they were not only disciplined but also kept pressure by bowling attacking lines. However, with runs flowing freely on Monday, India seemed to lack Plan B. Of course, the pitch hadn't deteriorated, but what was equally baffling was how one dimensional India looked. In the first innings, all it took was a quiet period (19 deliveries without scoring a boundary) for India to dismiss Bairstow and it came on the back of dot balls. In the second innings, defending a huge total, India managed only six maidens, as England were able to dictate the tempo of the innings.

While all things would point out to how the bowlers failed to defend such a huge target, in hindsight, India would know they had a chance to bat England out of the Test. Having taken a 132-run lead in the first innings with plenty of time remaining in the Test and well aware of England's scoring pattern, they had an opportunity to set a target that would have been beyond the hosts' reach. Instead, on perfect conditions for batting, India lost three of their middle-order wickets where the bowlers had very little role to play.

Going back to the series in South Africa this is the third successive Test where India have lost by a seven-wicket margin and each of them have come on pitches where the batting unit left some runs to score in the third innings.

"It's been disappointing in South Africa and here. It could be a variety of factors. We have to maintain a level of fitness. We have had third innings (batting) problems both in South Africa and Edgbaston," head coach Rahul Dravid said. "Both in South Africa and here, we have started well but haven't been able to finish well. We controlled the game for three days but maybe, we did not bat that well in the second innings, and in our bowling, we were not able to sustain that intensity and we must give credit to England for the way they played," he added.

Ever since Dravid took charge, there has been a change in personnel in the middle-order with Hanuma Vihari and Shreyas Iyer designated as the new No 3 and 5. This was the first away Test the duo played together and with India's remaining World Test Championship assignments in Bangladesh and Australia at home, they have a chance to look for some stability. With no immediate tour to SENA countries on the horizon, India have time to have a relook at their batting unit.

For an attack that has done admiringly well across all conditions, they have now failed to defend targets in three successive Tests. While they had very little to defend in South Africa where the pitches had a tendency to flatten as the Test progressed, in the second innings at Edgbaston, they were short of answers. "We had a couple of opportunities in South Africa as well, here as well, I just think it is something we need to look at and need to work upon. We have been very good at that in the last couple of years in terms of taking those 20 wickets and win those Test matches but we have not been able to do that in the last couple of months," he said.

SCOREBOARD

India 1st Innings: 416 England 1st Innings: 284 India 2nd Innings: 245 England 2nd Innings (O/N 259-3): Root (not out) 142, Bairstow (not out) 114. Extras (b8, lb7, nb2, w3) 20. Total (3 wkts, 76.4 overs) 378. **FoW:** 1-107, 2-107, 3-109. **Bowling:** Bumrah 17-1-74-2; Shami 15-2-64-0; Jadeja 18.4-3-62-0; Siraj 15-0-98-0; Thakur 11-0-65-0.

INDIA DOCKED TWO WTC POINTS FOR SLOW OVER-RATE

India were penalised two ICC World Test Championship points for maintaining slow over-rate against England fifth Test, which has led to them dropping behind arch rivals Pakistan in the points table.India are now fourth in the WTC table behind Australia (84 points and 77.78 percentage points), South Africa (60 points, 71.43 percentage points) and Pakistan (44 points and 52.38 percentage points). After being docked two points, India have 75 points but in terms of percentage points, they are fourth with 52.08.

India women in tight spot after second draw

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Chennai

INDIA fought back to claim a 1-1 draw against China in their second Pool B match of the Women's Hockey World Cup in Amsterdam on Tuesday. This means both India and China have two points from as many games.

After Jiali Zheng opened the scoring with a cute finish in the 25th minute, Vandana Katariya made it two in as many games with a close range finish following a penalty corner just before the fourth quarter. China, who have thrown their weight behind their women's team (Alyson Annan and Taeke Taekema, two Olympic medal-winners, are part of their backroom staff in Netherlands), engineered a few moves inside the striking circle apart from earning a penalty corner to steal the match at the end but the Indian defence held.

However, India were by far the better attacking side. The numbers reflect that argument. Savita & Co had more circle penetrations (16 to China's 10), more penalty corners (five to two) and more shots on goal (nine to two). In a sense, the lack of a penalty corner conversion held them back in their opening game against England as well. They dominated the penalty corner count six to zero but just coudn't find that killer instinct from the top of the D.

Speaking at half time, coach Janneke Schopman said she wanted more consistency in the general play. The consistency came from the way their defenders worked as a collective unit in snuffing out the danger. Going forward, they were just that little bit impatient and that pace, something the Dutch-woman craves, was missing.

India next face New Zealand in their last group game on Thursday | HOCKEY INDIA

The one time the Indian defence switched off, Zheng ghosted in behind to find the back of the net. However, much of the credit for that move should go to Xindan Zhang whose perfectly weighted throughball took out four Indians from the equation. It came against the run of play as India were just about seizing control of the game. In fact, they thought they had scored but it had hit an Indian body before rolling over the line and China used their video referral to good effect.

While Schopman will take heart from the fact that they have now twice come from behind to draw games, they are now walking the tightrope in advancing to the next stage of the competition.

EXPRESS READ

PSG hire Galtier after sacking Pochettino

PARIS: Christophe Galtier became Paris Saint-Germain's seventh coach in 11 years under the club's Qatari-backed ownership after Mauricio Pochettino was fired. PSG president Nasser al-Khelaifi presented Galtier to media at a news conference and said, "We have a new era to start. I'm very happy." Galtier said

Saha to join Tripura team as player-cum-mentor

AGARTALA: India cricketer Wriddhiman Saha will join the Tripura team as a player-cum-mentor, an official said on Tuesday. A veteran of 40 Tests, Saha has already received an NOC (No Objection Certificate) from the Cricket Association of Bengal. "We have had talks with Saha and he has agreed to play for the state. He will also act as a mentor for the senior team," said Tripura Cricket Association joint secretary Kishore Das. He is expected to play Ranji Trophy and Vijay Hazare Trophy matches.

Wow Maria: @ 34 books semifinal spot

AGENCIES @Wimbledon

THE first semifinalist at this year's Wimbledon is the oldest woman remaining in the draw.

Tatjana Maria, a 34-year-old German who returned to the tour less than a year ago following the birth of her second daughter, advanced to the semifinals at a Grand Slam tournament for the first time in her 35th appearance. She beat another German, 22-year-old Jule Niemeier 4-6, 6-2, 7-5, on Tuesday on No. 1 Court. "One year ago, I just gave birth," Maria said on court. "It's crazy."

QUARTERFINALS RESULTS

Men: Novak Djokovic (SRB x1) bt Jannik Sinner (ITA x10) 5-7, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. **Women:** Tatjana Maria (GER) bt Jule Niemeier (GER) 4-6, 6-2, 7-5. **Wednesday's matches (all QF): Men:** Taylor Fritz vs Rafael Nadal, Cristian Garin vs Nick Kyrgios; **Women:** Ajla Tomljanovic vs Elena Rybakina, Simona Halep vs Amanda Anisimova

Maria is making her 10th appearance at the All England Club and has become only the sixth woman in the Open era to reach the Wimbledon semifinals after turning 34. Her best previous performance was reaching the third round in 2015. She never even made it that far at the other three major tennis tournaments.

It hasn't all come easy this year. Maria is ranked 103rd in the world and was outside the top 250 as recently as March. Since returning from maternity leave, she lost in the first round at the U.S. Open, the Australian Open and the French Open.

That changed on the grass courts of Wimbledon.

Maria beat three seeded players in a row in her run to the quarterfinals, including fifth-seeded Maria Sakkari in the third round and 12th-seeded Jelena Ostapenko, the 2017 French Open champion, in the fourth round.

Djokovic rallies to progress

Defending champion Novak Djokovic battled back from two sets to love down to defeat Jannik Sinner and reach his 11th Wimbledon semifinal on Tuesday.

Djokovic triumphed 5-7, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2 and will face either Britain's Cameron Norrie or David Goffin of Belgium for a place in Sunday's final. It was the seventh time in the Serb's career that he had recovered from two sets to love at the Slams.

Sania-Pavic in last four

Sania Mirza and her Croatian partner Mate Pavic advanced to the mixed doubles semifinals with a hard-fought win over fourth seeds Gabriela Dabrowski and John Peers. Mirza and Pavic, seeded sixth, eked out a thrilling 6-4 3-6 7-5 win over Canadian-Australian duo in one hour 41 minutes on court 3. This is Sania's best mixed doubles performance at Wimbledon.

Bank of Baroda

Mayo Hall Branch
Ground Floor, Public Utility Building,
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POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorised officer of the **Bank of Baroda,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 has issued a demand notice dated **08.04.2022** calling upon the Borrowers : **M/s Sri Hari Stores. Prop. Mr B. Suresh. Borower : 1. Mr. B. Suresh** S/o Bhakthavastalam **(2) Mr. B. Prabhu** S/o Bhakthavastalam both residing at No. 534/344/8, DC Road Near Muneshwara temple, Bilekahalli Layout, Bangalore - 560076 and **Guarantor : Mr. B. Prabhu** S/o Bhakthavastalam A.S., **Bhakthavastalam A.S.** S/o A Swarna Nadar, No. 534/344/8, DC Road Bilekahalli Layout, Bangalore - 560076. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 38,37,070.12/- (Rupees Thirty eight lakhs thirty seven thousand seventy and Paise twelve only)** plus interest from various dates as above and other applicable charges, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under sub section (4) of Section 13 of the said Act read with rules 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002 on this **02nd day of July of the year 2022.**

The borrower/Guarantor/Mortagagors in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Bank of Baroda for an amount of **Rs. 38,37,070.12/- (Rupees Thirty eight lakhs thirty seven thousand seventy and Paise twelve only)** and interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

All the piece and parcel of the immovable property (House Property) bearing Site No-1, out of Sy. No. 3/18, Khatha No. 205/203/206/3/18/1 at 6th Main Road, Tayappa Garden, Bilekahalli, Bannerghatta Road, Begur Hobli, Bangalore. **measuring:** East to West: 75 Ft and North to South: 31 Feet and **bounded by: East:** Road, **West:** Jaya Rama Shetty Property, **North:** Road, **South:** Road.

Date: 02.07.2022 **Sd/- Chief Manager**
Place: Bangalore **Authorised Officer**

Government of Karnataka

MINOR IRRIGATION AND GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Office of the Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Division, Jayanagar 4th Block, Bangalore.

Tender Notification No-09/2022-23 **Dated : 05-07-2022**

(ITEM RATE TENDER)

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION [kw-4]

Executive Engineer, M.I & GWD Division, Bangalore invites Tenders on behalf of Governor of Karnataka for the works as per Karnataka transparency in public procurement ordinance act 2000 e-Procurement System.

Name of the work: Beautification to Myalappanahalli tank of Yelahanka Legislative Assembly Constituency in Bangalore Urban District

Amount Put to Tender : Rs. 200 lakhs

Earnest Money Deposit (Rs.) : 3,00,000/-

Head of account: 4702 MOT

Period of completion: 06 Months including Monsoon period

(1) Any information's regarding this tender may be obtained from this office up to : **12.07.2022 upto 16.30 Hrs.** (2) Filled Tenders may be submitted through e-procurement portal upto: **13.07.2022 upto 16.30 Hrs.** (3) Pre bid meeting will be held on : **08-07-2022 at 11.30 Hrs.** (4) Technical bid will be opened on: **15-07-2022 at 11.30 Hrs.** (5) Financial bid will be opened on : **will be intimated to the successful bidders in Technical bid.** (6) Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in clause KW-4 of ITT in Standard Tender document. (7) Rights are reserved for postponement or cancellation of any or all Tenders. (8) Terms and conditions and other details may be obtained through e-procurement portal at the website address **https://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
M.I. & G.W.D. Division

DIPR/CP/1204/2022-23

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#91, Siri, UAS Layout, 4th Cross, Sanjay Nagar, Bengaluru -560094

CAUTION NOTICE

Pursuant to Order by Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore Vide Crl. Misc. No. 2313/2021 the physical possession of the below property has been taken possession by the undersigned with the help and in presence of the police force on 07/10/2021 as per the court order.

SCHEDULE:

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing House No.22, formed in Sy.No.54/2, BBMP Khatha No.655/54/2/22, Ward No.05, situated at Doddabommasandra Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West 30 feet North to South 50 feet, totally measuring 1500 sq.ft. and building there on and bounded on

East by: Site No.23, West by: Site No.21,
North by: Road, South by: Property of Bhadramma.

At the time of taking possession of the property there were some machineries and movable articles inside the said property. As there was no time to move them instantly as the article/movables were many in numbers and all such articles are still kept therein.

You are requested to remove the said articles from the property under prior written notice of at least one day to the undersigned, so that necessary arrangements can be made for you to remove the articles. Please ensure that the said articles are removed within 7 days from the receipt of this notice as otherwise bank would be compelled to cause sale of the same by public notice at your cost.

Hence we request you to please come and remove your movables. This is without prejudice to the other rights and interest of the Bank.

Date: 24.06.2022 Authorised Officer
Place: Bengaluru Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-operative Bank Ltd

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike

Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure, Dasarahalli Division, N.R. Square, Bengaluru-560 002.

No.EE/RI-Dhalli/TEND/03/2022-23 Date: 04-07-2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Two Cover System) **(KW-4)**

(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal Only)

The Executive Engineer, (Road Infrastructure) Dasarahalli Division, BBMP, Bengaluru invites item rate tenders from eligible contractors / firms registered in BBMP/CPWD/KPWD/Railways/MES/National Highway or any State Govt. Organisations for the construction of works detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approximate Value of work (₹. in Lakhs)	EMD (₹. in Lakhs)
1.	**Resurfacing of SM Road, Rajagopalanagar Main Road & ORR from Jalahalli Cross to Sonal Garments under RI-Dasarahalli Division.**	879.03	13.19

Calendar of Events: (1) Date of Tender documents may be downloaded from the e-procurement portal from **08-07-2022. (2)** Last Date for Tender queries : **18-07-2022 up to 3:00 p.m.** (only through online) **(3)** Pre bid Meeting on **19-07-2022 at 4:00 p.m. (4)** Last Date for Receipt of Tender is **25-07-2022 up to 4:00 p.m. (5)** Date of opening of technical Bid is **26-07-2022 by 4:30 p.m. (6)** Date of opening of financial bid after approval of Technical bid. Further particulars can be obtained from the above office during working hours on working days or from **website: https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-, Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure, Dasarahalli Division, BBMP.

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E-mail Address: purchase.hamul@gmail.com
IFT NO.HCMU/PUR/ EPROC / 1852 /2022-23 DATE: 29/06/2022

INVITATION FOR E TENDER(IFT)
TECHNICAL CUM COMMERCIAL TENDER

HAMUL invites E-Procurement tender for 1) Supply of DVS Culture (a) STI -13 (b) STI -14 (c) STI -15 2) supply of Caustic Soda Liquid Lye in Non Returnable Carboys 3) Quantity & EMD amount : as per bid notification available in e-portal.4) Last date for submission of tender: **15.07.2022. up to 5.00 PM.** 5) Technical bid opening **: 18.07.2022 at 11.00 PM.** 6) Address for communication: Deputy. Manager (Purchase) at the above address. 7) Tender document may be downloaded from website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in/. Tender No: KMF/2022-23/IND10169 Sd/- MANAGING DIRECTOR**

RAIL WHEEL FACTORY

Yelahanka, Bangalore – 560064

Website: www.rwf.indianrailways.gov.in.

आज़ादी का अमृत महोत्सव

Tender Notice No. RWF/S/P1/006/2022-23 Dated 04.07.22

E-TENDER: On behalf of the President of India, Principal Chief Materials Manager electronic Tenders from Interested Vendors for supply of the following items on the Indian Railways E-Portal – **www.ireps.gov.in.** The Tender documents and the Corrigenda to the Tenders, if any, will be available on the Portal only.

Sl	Tender No	Due date	Description	Qty
1	P1221725	27-07-2022	Card board Tubes to RWF specification	280050 Nos
2	P1221465A	01-08-2022	Graphite Mould Blanks 1097 mm dia X 575 mm height (43.2" X 22.6") as per RWF specification	18 Nos
3	P1221698	10-08-2022	Copper Coated graphite electrodes for arc gouging as per RWF specification.	235350 Nos
4	P1221734	24-08-2022	Ladle Insulation Material as per RWF specification	618260 kgs
5	P1221699	01-09-2022	Flake/Granular Type Phenol Formaldehyde Resin as per RWF specification	353600 kgs

Principal Chief Materials Manager

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: EEE/MWD/KPL/22-23/761-762 Date:04.07.2022

NOTIFICATION

KPTCL has established a new 220/110/11KV Sub-Station at Sulekal Village in Kanakagiri Taluk of Koppal District and as a part of the project, constructed the following 110KV lines from 220kV Sulekal Sub-Station.

(1) LILO of existing 110kV Munirabad-Sindhanur lines 1 & 2 to the proposed 220/110/11kV Gangavathi (Sulekal) Sub-Station to link Gangavathi-Sreeramnagar on 1st Circuit and 110kV Kampli-KPCL Pump House (Maralihalla) on 2nd Circuit for a distance of 16.887km. in Gangavathi Taluk of Koppal District and the said line is passing through Sulekal, Aralihalli, Kesaki Hanchinal, Gudihal, Marakambi, Hanawal, Hosakeri, Marali, Achari Narsipura, Danapura and Jangamara Kalgudi village limits in Kanakagiri and Gangvathi Taluks of Koppal District.

(2) Construction of 110kV SC line on DC towers from proposed 220/110/11kV Gangavathi (Sulekal) Sub-Station to 110/33/11kV Tavaragere Sub-Station for a distance of 26.501km. in Gangavathi Taluk of Koppal District and the said line is passing through Sulekal, Benakanal, Kanakagiri, Niraloti, Hanumanal, Sirwar, Godnal, Hosagudda, Timmanal, Menadal and Tavaragera village limits in Kanakagiri and Kushtagi Taluks of Koppal District.

The said Transmission lines will be energized **on or after 08.07.2022**. Therefore public are requested not to climb towers of this line, tie animals to the towers or not to throw green sticks or metal pieces, wires on the line as this type of activities will endanger the properties and lives of both animals and human beings. Public are hereby informed that if any accident or damage occurs due to violation of above said instruction, the person responsible for the same will be punished as per rules which may please be noted.

Sd/-Executive Engineer Elecl.,
Major Works Division, KPTCL., Koppal.

Karnataka State

Office of the Executive Engineer,
Shimoga Division, Shimoga

No.EE/PWD/Smg/AE-2/IFT-14/2022-23 Dtd:02-07-2022

Tender Notification

Tender invited thro' E-Procurement (http://eproc. karnataka.gov.in) for the below Indents by PWD Class-4 above Contractors. For needful information please contact Office P.No. 08182-274942 and Helpdesk Ph Nos. 080-25501216/080-25501227)

Reserved For SC : Hosanagara TQ 1 work

All Contractors can participate: Hosanagara TQ 6 work

Tender documents down loading & submission dates : Dtd:06-07-2022 to 20-07-2022 Period for completion of works Si No.1 to 3, 3 Months, Sl. No 4 to 7 Works , 6 Months (Including Monsoon)

Sd/- EE, PW Dept Division, Shimoga.

DIPR/smg/no.27/07/22-23/531

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ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

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ಕ್ರ. ಸಂ.	ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಹೆಸರು	ವಿವರ	ವಾಹನದ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯ
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2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಸ್ತಾವೇಜುಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in ನಿಂದ ಡೌನ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಹಾಗೂ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ಇತರ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಸಹ ಸದರಿ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕಡೆ ದಿನದಂದು ಸರ್ವರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆ ಉಂಟಾಗಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಆಗದಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಒಕ್ಕೂಟವು ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರರಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

3) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಸ್ತಾವೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿರುವ ಮುಂಗಡ ಠೇವಣಿ ಹಣ (Earnest Money Deposit) eProcrement Government of Karnataka ಇವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಪಡೆದು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬೇಕು.

1	ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಲಭ್ಯವಿರುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ	06-07-2022 ರಿಂದ 14-07-2022ರ ಸಂಜೆ 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ
2	ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟನೆ /ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಪಡೆಯುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	11-07-2022ರ ಸಂಜೆ 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ
3	ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಪ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	14-07-2022ರ ಸಂಜೆ 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ
4	ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	16-07-2022ರ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 10.00 ಗಂಟೆಯ ನಂತರ
5	ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ	18-07-2022ರ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 10.00 ಗಂಟೆಯ ನಂತರ
6	ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ಸ್ಥಳ	ಕೋಲಾರ ಹಾಲು ಒಕ್ಕೂಟ ನಿ., ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಕಚೇರಿ - ಕೋಲಾರ

ಸಹಿ/- ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು
ಕೋಲಾರ ಹಾಲು ಒಕ್ಕೂಟ ನಿ., ಪರವಾಗಿ

LOST

I, **KARAM ABDULLAH AHMED**, of Iraq National, Presently R/at Brain Booting Machine, BBM, Sai Kuteera, 2nd Main, Vijaya Layout, Gleenwood Apartment, Banneghatta Road, Venu Gopal Reddy Layout, Vijaya Bank Layout, Arekere, Bengaluru-560076, Karnataka, I declare that, I have lost my Original Passport bearing Number : A2246027, issued by IRAQ, issued on : 10/07/2011, valid till 08/07/2019, for which I have filed Complaint before Karnataka State Police on 04/07/2022 in Lost Report No. 0260029/2022, vide affidavit dated : 30/07/2022 before Notary MEER HASSAN, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is information of general public. That my client Mr. Amanulla Khan S/o Ghouse Khan, aged about 51 years, R/at No. 1665K, 1st Cross, Behind HP Petrol Pump, Shivaramaiah Layout, Kacharakanahalli, Bangalore -560 043. My client executed General Power of Attorney on 20-04-2021, in favour of Mr. ABBUL REHAMAN KHAN, S/o Mehaboob Khan, R/at behind Masid Road, Bhavikere Village, Lakkavalli Hobli, Tarekere Taluk, Chikkamangalur District for transfer vehicle bearing No. KA16P9189 Registration in his name to transfer vehicle bearing No. KA16P9189 in his favour or his nominee on my behalf. That I have cancelled / revoked the said General Power of Attorney by issuing a letter through RPAD on 21-06-2022.

I hereby informed to the General public that, in view of revocation/ cancellation/ termination of General Power of Attorney nobody shall not deal any transactions with the vehicle bearing No. KA16P9189 through the above said Mr. ABBUL REHAMAN KHAN, in any manner and in the event of anybody doing so, their own risk will be caused.

Sd/- **M.V. Narayanaswami**, Advocate
No.4/1, 2nd Cross, 7th Main, PNS Layout, Subbanapalya New Exten, Kalyananagar, Bangalore -560033. Ph. 9845846694
email:mvnarayanaswamy66@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client intends to purchase all that piece and parcel of immoveable Property consisting of Residential 3 Bedroom Apartment bearing **NO CAP-I-T4-207**, in the third floor, tower 4, phase 1, having carpet area of 58.80 Sq mtsalong with exclusive balcony of about 10.59 Sq mts, together with one Car Parking Space, including proportionate share in common areas along with right, title and undivided interest in the larger property in the apartment complex/Project called **"Provident Capella 1"** built on the larger property in Sy No 36/42,36/P8and 269 collectively measuring 23,977.43 Sq Mts, situated at Sameethanahalli village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, from the Developers M/s Provident Housing Ltd, and the Land owners M/s San Marina Infotech Pvt Ltd, M/s Building Solutions and Co, Mr Susheel Rathi and Mrs Soumya Nallari and registered with **RERA** bearing registration No **PRM/KA/RERA/1250/304/PR/190606/002596.** Any person/s having any claim or objections to the proposed purchase may write and call the undersigned **within14 days** of the publication hereof along with supporting documentary evidence, failing which my client will proceed with the transaction and any claim received thereafter will not be entertained.

BENEDICT ANAND, *ADVOCATE*
No: 31, 515 Army Workshop Colony,
Hal 3rd Stage, Thippasandra, Bangalore 560075.
Mobile - 98450 43271.
Email: benedictanand71@gmail.co
DATE: 04/07/2022, PLACE : BANGALORE

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client intends to purchase the property described in the schedule hereunder written for valuable consideration from **Mr. HARUR ABDUL AZEEZ**, S/o Mr. Harur Abdul Majeeb. All or any persons including any banks, financial institutions or any other party or person, having any valid and legal claim, right, title, demand or interest by virtue of any sale, gift, lease, tenancy, license, exchange, partition, mortgage, charge, lien, inheritance, succession, trust, maintenance, possession, easement, agreement, lispendens, stay order, attachment, decree, specific performance or otherwise or any other right of whatsoever nature are required/ called upon to convey their objection/s in writing at the address mentioned below, **within (10) Ten days** from issuance of this notice, along with all supporting documents relating to such claim, failing which it shall be presumed that there is /are no claim/s and such claim/s if any, shall be considered to be waived and abandoned in respect of the 'Scheduled Property'.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of Immovable Property together with structure comprising of Ground and Two upper Floors standing thereon and bearing site No.37, situated in the Layout known as "ANJANADRI PRIME" formed in Land bearing Sy No. 156/2 of CHELEKERE Village, converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural Purpose vide conversion order No. ALN.SR.(E) 186/2003-04, dated 09.02.2004 passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and now within the limits of BBMP in Ward No. 25-Horamavu, and assigned as Khata No. 156/2. Bounded on: **East by:** Site No. 36, **West by:** Site No. 38, **North by:** Site No. 35, **South by:** Road. **Measuring:** East to West: 30 feet, North to South: 20 feet, Total measurement: 600 square feet

KISHWAR HUSSAIN
ADVOCATE & NOTARY
Unit No.158, 3rd Floor, Golden Plaza, No.11, Jumma Masjid Road, Bangalore-51.

IN THE COURT OF VIII ADDL CITY CIVIL COURT AT BENGALURU (CCH-15)
O.S. No. 3241/2011

BETWEEN: Smt. Munirajamma & another D/o Late E. Muniyallappa, aged about 52 years, R/at Halanayakanahalli, Sarjapura Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk. ...**Plaintiffs**

AND: Munihanumamma & others ... **Defendants**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS

1. M/s Adarsh Infra, A registered Partnership Film, Having its Office at 442, 5th Main, 6th Avenue, Teacher's Colony, Koramangala, Bengaluru-560 034. Represented by its Partners **1. Shri.Bhupathi Degala 2. Shri.Ramesh Samudrala. 3. Hemadri Naidu.N**

SUIT SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT UNDER ORDER V RULE 20(1-A) OF THE CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE

WHEREAS, the plaintiff party in the above case has filed the above suit against the defendants for the partition suit. You the defendant is hereby given summoned to appear in this court in person on the day **16-07-2022** at 11.00 clock in the forenoon to answer the claim and you are directed to produce on that day all the documents upon which you intend to rely in support of your defense.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the land measuring 1 acre 20 guntas in Sy No.103/2 situated at Kothanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District bounded on the **East by:** Sarakki Tank and Land belonging to Sri. Ramappa, **West by:** Property belonging to Smt. E. Jayaram, **North by:** Sarakki Tank Road, **South by:** Land belonging to Mrs.S.R.Khan.

SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the land measuring 1 acre 18 guntas in Sy No.103/2 situated at Kothanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District bounded on the **East by:** Private Road, **West by:** Property belonging to Smt.E.Muniyallappa, **North by:** Property belonging to Smt.E.Muniyallappa and **South by:** Sarakki Tank.

SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY

All that part and parcel of the property bearing Site No.7, Katha No.103, situated at Kothanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, measuring East to West 110 feet and North to South 55+47/2 feet and bounded on the **East by:** 25 feet Road, **West by:** Property belonging to Smt. E. Muniyallappa, **North by:** 20 feet private road and **South by:** Property belonging to Arvind Chavada.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on 30-06-2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Plaintiffs:
MUZAFFAR AHMED
No. 45, 5th Cross, 8th Main Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru-560052.

EAST COAST RAILWAY

Tender No. SANDT_ZONAL_WAT_KTV

NAME OF WORK : TELECOM ZONAL WORK UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER/TELE/ WALTAIR & SENIOR SECTION ENGINEER/TELE/KOTTAVALASA IN WALTAIR DIVISION.

Advertised Value : ₹ 56,77,876.20, **EMD : ₹ 1,13,600/-, Period of Completion : 12 Months.**

Bidding Start Date : 07.07.2022

Tender Closing Date and Time : At 1500 Hrs. of 21.07.2022.

Manual offers are not allowed against this tender, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored.
Complete information including e-Tender documents and corrigendum is available in website **http://www.ireps.gov.in**

Sr. Divl. Signal & Telecom Engineer, Waltair
PR-260/N/22-23

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Sagar N S/o Narasimha Murthy intend to purchase the Schedule Property mentioned hereunder for a Valuable consideration from its owner Deepalakshmi Jyothilal W/o Jyothilal residing at No.2, Edward Road, Bangalore - 500052.

If any person having any claims right, title and interest whatsoever over the suit Schedule property may forward their objections to the undersigned in writing with supporting documents of your such claims with in 7 day from the date of Publication of this notice. Failing which it will be deemed that there are no claims, right, title and interest by any body and my client will proceed for completion of sale transaction and there after no claims will be considered.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential Vacant Property Site No. 67 BBMP Katha No. 563/67 formed out converted New Sy.No. 25/1A, 25/1B, 25/1 and 25/1D (old Sy.No. 25/1) (converted from agricultural to non-agricultural residential purpose vide conversion order No. B.D.S.ALN.SR(NA)43/99-2000 & 44/99-2000 dated 02.11.1999 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District) Situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore in the layout known as **"SAI ORCHID"** now comes under BBMP Limits Yelahanka Sub-Division Ward No. 3 measuring East to West : 60 feet and North to South 40 feet totally measuring 2400 sq.ft and bounded on the:

East by: Road, West by: Site No. 66, North by: Site No. 64, South by: Site No. 68.

Veena Rani J.S., Advocate
No.118, 2nd Main F Cross, Kacharakanahalli, St. Tomas Town Post, Bangalore - 560 084.
Mobile No. : 9535278594
Place: Bangalore Date: 04.07.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR LOST AND FOUND

This is to inform to the General Public that my client **Manjunath.A,** S/o Appajiyappa, is the absolute owner of the land bearing Sy.No.254, measuring 2 acre 42 cents, of Kalukondapalli Village. It is submit, on 30.06.2022 about 4.00 PM at Jigani Tent Bus Stop, Jigani, while I am waiting for a Bus, I lost or misplaced Original Documents such as Sale deeds Vide Document No.2186/1977, Document No. 618/1980 and Document, No.4597/1982, which was Registered at Kalamangala Sub Registrar, at Kalamangala, in respect of above property and also Aadhar card, Voter ID and other documents, for the same I swom a Affidavit on 01.07.2022, Certificate No. IN-KA63339502840869U, dated 01.07.2022, and also I gave a Complaint before the Jigani Police Station On 01.07.2022, the Hon'ble authority given a NCR No. 370/2022, GSC No. PO2000220600368, dated 01.07.2022. If anyone found, traced out above Documents, Kindly pleased to hand over the same to below address.

Manjunath .A, S/o Appajiyappa,
aged about 42 years, R/at No.1/118,
Periya Madhagondapalli, Denkanikottai
Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu.

IN THE COURT OF CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CCH-61)
P & SC No. 753/2021

BETWEEN : 1. Janardhan .M.
2. Dhanalakshmi, 3. Jeevitha .J

All are residing at No. 6, Palmpeak Layout, behind NRI Water Tank, Kalkere Extention, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore North, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560016. **...Petitioner(s)**

And : NIL **...Respondent**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named has made petition to the court U/s 372 of the Indian Succession Act for the grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the petitioners in respect of the schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule was held by Late Arvind Janardhan, who was also the eldest child of the Petitioner No. 1 and 2, has deceased **on 16.08.2021.**

Interested Parties are hereby called to hearing in this court person or by pleader duly instructed **on 16.7.2022 at 11:00 am,** inform to show cause against the petitioners, failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

In the Standard Chartered Bank-Raheja Towers, 26 M.G. Road, Bangalore 560 001, bearing the account No.456-1-063281-8 with an existing balance of Rs. 1,555,032.91/-

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 14th day of June 2022.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Address for Services : **VSK & Co.**
Advocate & Legal Consultants
JBJ Complex, 2nd Floor, Opp. Indian Petrol Bunk, Above Airtel Store, East of NGEF Layout, Ramamurthy Nagar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 016.

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001.
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact No. 9646117606)

TENDER ENQUIRY No. 31/MM-I/TGP-106 (IV) /O&M/GHTP/2022

Dy. Chief Engineer. Mechanical Mtc. Circle-I/GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat invites E-tender for the work of Reconditioning of Boiler Feed Pumps Cartridge (Type-FK6D30) including supply of required spares of BFPs installed at of 2x210 MW & 2x250 MW GHTP Lehra Mohabbat Stage-I & II as per detail in tender specifications. For detailed NIT & Tender specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **04.07.2022** from 16:00 PM onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** only.

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THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD

KVB Karur Vysya Bank — Smart way to bank

DIVISIONAL OFFICE, No.6, 2nd Floor, Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram Bangalore – 560 004

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Issued under Rule 8(1)] of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized officer of THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **02.11.2021** calling upon the borrower **(1) Mrs.Lakshmi V S,** W/o. Mr. Srinivasa K. V. **(2) Mrs.Rathna Srinivas (Guarantor),** W/o. Mr. Srinivasa V, and **(3) Mr.Nagesh (Guarantor),** S/o. Mr. Srinivasa. V all residing at No. 14, 2nd Main Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore – 21 to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs. 78,42,936.76 (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Six and paise Seventy Six only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **05th Day of July of the year 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED** for an amount of **Rs.83,26,001.76 (Rupees Eighty Three Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand One and paise Seventy Six only)** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing **Flat No. 202** in the Second Floor, Block B in Wing D admeasuring a super builtup area of **1224 sqft** in the apartment building known as **"SRI KRISHNA EXCEL STONE",** constructed over residential converted land bearing Sy No. 73/5 and 73/6 (converted vide official memorandum dated 06.07.2013 bearing no. ALN(EVH) SR/443/2012-13 issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), Khatha No. 359/73/5/73/6/17 situated at Balagere village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore together with **328 sqft** of undivided share and a covered car parking space slot to be earmarked. Bounded: On the **East by:** Corridor. On the **West by:** Open to Sky. On the **North by:** Open to Sky. On the **South by:** Corridor.

Date : 05.07.2022 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED**

Bank of Baroda

Mayo Hall Branch
Ground Floor, Public Utility Building,
M.G. Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Bank of Baroda,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated **05-04-2022** calling upon the borrower **(1) Mrs. Subha Pattanshetti** W/o. Shivaraj V. Pattanshetti **(2) Mr. Shailesh .S. Pattanshetti** S/o. Shivaraj V. Pattanshetti **both residing at** No. 686, 8th 'B' Main, 3rd Stage, 3rd Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore - 560 079. and **M/s. Tronix Solutions** Partnership firm represented by Partners : **Mr. Shailesh .S. Pattanshetti Mrs. Sonal Shailesh** Pattansetti, No. 20/3, 80 Feet Road, KHB Colony, 2nd Stage, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560079 and both residing at No. 686, 8th 'B' Main, 3rd Stage, 3rd Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560079 and Guarantor : **1. Mr. Shailesh .S Pattanshetty** S/o. Shivaraj V. Pattanshetti **(2) Mrs. Sonal Shallesh Pattansetti** W/o. Mr. Shailesh .S. Pattanshetty, **(3) Mrs. Subha Pattanshetti** W/o. Shivaraj V. Pattanshetti, No. 686, 8th 'B' Main, 3rd Stage, 3rd Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560 079. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 90,51,002.34/-** (Rupees Ninty Lakhs Fifty one Thousand and Two and Paise Thirty four only) plus interest from various dates as above and other applicable charges, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken **possession of the property** described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under sub section (4) of Section 13 of the said Act read with rules 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2022 on the **02th day of July of the year 2022.**

The borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Bank of Baroda for an amount of **Rs. 90,51,002.34** (Rupees Ninty lakhs Fifty One thousand and two and Paise Thirty four only) and interest thereon at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

All the piece and parcel of land buildings existing and or to be constructed thereon and shown under schedule 'A' below together with easementary and appurtenants thereon.

Schedule 'A' Property : House property bearing No. 686, Ground and Second floor portions present bifurcated BBMP Municipal No. 686 & 686/2, PID No. 19-3-686 and 19-3-686/2, situated at 3rd stage, 3rd Block, Basaveshwara Nagar, Ward No. 19, Bangalore -560079.

Measuring Ground and second floor portions super build up area 1100 sq., feet and 1350 sq. feet each along with 500 sq. feet each of USD in site No. 686. **Bounded by : East by:** Site No. 685, **West By :** Road, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Site No. 671.

Date: 02.07.2022 **Sd/- Chief Manager**
Place: Bangalore **Authorised Officer**

ರಾಣಿ ಚನ್ನಮ್ಮ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ

ವಿದ್ಯಾಸಂಗಮ, ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಹೆದ್ದಾರಿ-04, ಭೂತರಾಮನಹಟ್ಟಿ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ-591156
(ನ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾನ್ಯತೆ ಬಿ+ಗ್ರೇಡ್-2021)
ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:0831-2565242/03
web site: www.rcub.ac.in E-mail: rcubuilding2018@gmail.com
rcuregistrar@gmail.com
ಕುಲಸಚಿವರ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ
Office of the Registrar

ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂ. ರಾಚವಿ/ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ/ಕುಸಕಾ/2022-23/1351 ದಿನಾಂಕ:05-07-2022

-: ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ (ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ):-

ಬೆಳಗಾವಿಯ ಹಿರೇಬಾಗೇವಾಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ರಾಣಿ ಚನ್ನಮ್ಮ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಹೊಸ ಕ್ಯಾಂಪಸ್‌ಗೆ **Construction of Approach Road from NH-04 to Rani Channamma University New Campus at Hirebagewadi in Belagavi** ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆಯನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಿಂದ ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ, ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯೂಮೆಂಟ್ ಕೆ.ಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ - 4 ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. **500.00** ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಇ.ಎಮ್.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. **7.50** ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತವೆ. ದಿನಾಂಕ **04.08.2022** ರ ಸಂಜೆ **4.00** ಗಂಟೆಯೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಂತರ್ಜಾಲದ ಮೂಲಕ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

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Government of Karnataka

RURAL DRINKING WATER & SANITATION DEPARTMENT

Office Of Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Division Belagavi Near Krishna Devaraya Circle, 1st Floor of PRED Division, Nehru Nagar- 590010

E-Mail: ee_rws.bgm@gmail.com **Phone: 0831-2420835/2420836**

No. RDW&S/BGM/PB-2,4/TND-26/KW-3/2022-23/1337 Date: 05-07-2022

ITEM RATE NOTIFICATION (E-PROCUREMENT)

The Executive Engineer, RDW & S Division, Belagavi invites item rate tenders on behalf of Governor of Karnataka State Government from the eligible contractors registered in E - procurement portal in Panchayat Raj Engineering Department under KW - 3 standard tender document 1) Last date & time for receipt of tenders: 13-07-2022 before 05:30 PM 2) Date & time for opening of Technical Bid 15-07-2022 after 11:00 AM 3) Date & time for opening of Financial Bid: After technical bid is approved INDENT No.:- 34799 Note: Other conditions, eligibility criteria are as published in e - procurement portal . More details can be had from the office of the undersigned and also through website www.eproc.Karnataka.gov.in by clicking list of Tenders which will link to all dept work list .

Sd/-
Executixe Engineer,
RDW & S Division, Belagavi.

DIPO/BGM/RONO.472/22-23

CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA NIYAMITHA

(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION NO.: 10/2022-23, Dt: 4-7-2022
(Through e-procurement Portal Only-Short term)

Service tender are invited on e-procurement basis by the Executive Engineer, Harangi Rehabilitation Division, Kushalnagara, Somwarapet Taluk, Kodagu District on behalf of the Managing Director, CNNL, Bangalore from eligible contractors for the work **Conducting Detailed Survey and Preparation of DPR For the flood Protection works to Cauvery River bank in Kushalnagar, Kodagu District**. Estimate amount for the work is **Rs 90.00 lakhs**.

The contractors can have access / download tender document from e-procurement and last date to submitt the filled tender document is **14-07-2022** till 4.00 PM. Technical bid will be opened on **15-7-2022** at 4.30 PM onwards and Financial bid will be opened after Approval of the Technical Bid. All the information is available on e-procurement web-site address **http://eproc.Karnataka.gov.in**.

Tender processing fee as stipulated in the e-procurement portal is applicable for the work. Additional information can be obtained from the undersigned during office hours.

Executive Engineer,
Harangi Rehabilitation Division,
Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Niyamitha,
Kushalanagar, Somwarpet Taluk,
Kodagu District - 571234, Karnataka

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

CUB — TRUST AND EXCELLENCE SINCE 1904

Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office: No.24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id:** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Phone:** 0435-2432322, **Fax:** 0435-2431746

RE-TENDER-CUM-AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

The following property/ies mortgaged to **City Union Bank Limited** will be sold in Re-Tender-cum-Public Auction by the Authorised Officer of the Bank, under Rule 8 (6) & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, under the SARFAESI Act 2002, for recovery of a sum of **Rs.14,95,243/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Two Hundred and Forty Three only)** as on **28-06-2022** together with further interest to be charged from **29-06-2022** onwards and other expenses, any other dues to the Bank by the borrowers / guarantors **No.1) M/s. ALT Traders, C-2, Basement Floor, No.43/L, Lorry Godown, 3rd Cross, RMC Yard, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore - 560022. No.2) Mr. A. Latheef, S/o. Abdul Razaa, at No.51, 4th Cross, Near Sagan Nursing Home, Gangondanahalli, Bangalore - 560039. No.3) Mrs. Afroz Banu, W/o. A. Latheef, at No.51, 4th Cross, Near Sagan Nursing Home, Gangondanahalli, Bangalore - 560039. No.4) Mr. Yahya Akhan Lodha, S/o. Akbar Lodha, at No.263, 5th Cross, Thippu Sulthan Sangharsha Samithi, Gangondanahalli, Bangalore - 560039.**

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank
Schedule - A: (Property Owned by Mr. Yahya Akhan Lodha, S/o. Akbar Lodha)

Property - 1:- All that piece and parcel of Eastern Half Portion of the Property previously bearing Khaneshumari No.C.42, Now Property No.17/A, situated at Gangaondanahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Previously Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Ward No.40, presently within the limit of BBMP Ward No.132. Measuring:- East to West to 15 Feet and North to South : 32 Feet altogether 480 Sq.Ft. along with one square A.C. Sheet House with Cement Flooring, Cement and Bricks used for Construction of Wall, Jungle Wood used for Doors and Windows with all Civic Amenities and bounded on:- East by - Property belonging to Mehaboob Pasha, West by - Western Half Portion of the same Property measuring 15 Feet x 32 Feet this day sold to Mohammed Yasin Bohra and then Property No.17, North by - Private Property, South by - 2nd Cross.

Reserve Price : Rs.35,00,000/-
(Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Only)

RE-AUCTION DETAILS

Date of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale	Venue
26-07-2022	**City Union Bank Limited, Bangalore-Rajaji Nagar Branch,** 1002/55, Krk Chambers, Ist Main, 4th Block, 80 Ft. Dr. Rajkumar Road, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban - 560010. Telephone No.080-23155151, Cell No.9379757170.

Terms and Conditions of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale :

(1) The intending bidders should be present in person for the auction and participate personally and give a declaration in writing to the effect that he/she is bidding for himself / herself. **(2)** The intending bidders may obtain the Tender Forms from **The Manager, City Union Bank Limited, Bangalore-Rajaji Nagar Branch, 1002/55, Krk Chambers, Ist Main, 4th Block, 80 Ft. Dr. Rajkumar Road, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban - 560010.(3)** The intending bidders should submit their bids only in the Tender Form prescribed in sealed envelopes addressed to **The Authorised Officer, City Union Bank Ltd.,** together with a Pay Order / Demand Draft for an EMD of **10%** of the Reserve Price, drawn in favour of **"City Union Bank Ltd.", on or before 12.00 Noon** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. **(4)** For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending purchaser may contact **Telephone No.080-23155151, Cell No.9379757170. (5)** The property/ies are sold on "As-is-where-is", "As-is-what-is" and "whatever-there is" basis. **(6)** The sealed tenders will be opened in the presence of the intending bidders at **01.00 p.m.** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. Though in general the sale will be by way of closed tenders, the Authorised Officer may, at his sole discretion, conduct an Open Auction among the interested bidders who desire to quote a bid higher than the one received in the closed tender process, and in such an event, the sale shall be conferred on the person making highest bid. The sale, however, is subject to confirmation of City Union Bank Limited. **(7)** The successful bidder shall have to pay **25% (inclusive of EMD paid)** of the sale amount **immediately** on completion of sale and the balance amount of **75%** within **15 days** from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the initial deposit of **25%** shall be forfeited. **(8)** The Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favour of the successful purchaser only after receipt of the entire sale consideration within the time limit stipulated herein. **(9)** The successful purchaser shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance, such as stamp duty, registration fee etc., as applicable under law. **(10)** The successful bidder should pay the statutory dues (lawful house tax, electricity charges and other dues), TDS, GST if any, due to Government, Government Undertaking and local bodies. **(11)** The Authorised Officer shall have all the powers to Accept or reject the bids or postpone or cancel the sale without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 04-07-2022 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.**0435-2402322, **Fax:** 0435-2431746, **Website:** www.cityunionbank.com

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BENGALURU
Notice to the Respondent
Vide order dated: 21.06.2022
R.F.A. No. 1084/2021

B.R. Subramanya,
Since dead by his LRs.,
B.R. Krishna Murthy,
Since dead by his LRs.,
B.S. Raghavan .... **Appellant**
(By Sriyuths: Gautamaditya S, Krutika Raghavan and Geetha M.S. Advs., for appellants)
V/S
Vivekananda Vidyalaya K.M. School Rep., by its Secretary
...........**Respondent:**

To Respondent:
VIVEKANANDA VIDYALAYA K.M. SCHOOL,
ON LAND FORMERLY BEARING SY. NO. 100/1, NOW NUMBERED AS 44 & 45 OF KATRIGUPPE- VILLAGE, VIVEKANANDA NAGAR, BANASHANKARI 3RD STAGE, BANGALORE- 560 081.
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY

Appeal from the Judgment & Decree dated: 05.04.2021 passed in **OS.No. 3014/1993** on the file of the XXIV Addl. City Civil & Sessions Judge, Bangalore.

Notice is hereby given to you to appear in this court either in person or through Counsel duly instructed or through some one authorized by law, to act for you in the above appeal on **17.08.2022** in case you intend to contest the appeal If you fail to appear, the same will be dealt with, heard & decided in your absence.

Issued under my hand & the seal of this court, this the 21st Day of June 2022.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT,
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA
BENGALURU- 560001

SOUTH INDIAN Bank

CIN: L65191KL1929PLC001017

Regional Office: SIB Arcade, #61, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bangalore – 560 005. Tel./ Fax No: +91 80-25479091 / 92 E-mail: ro1010@sib.co.in. Website: www.southindianbank.com

To, **(1) M/s. Koravampady Estates and Enterprises Private Limited,** a Pvt limited company having, its Regd. Office at: Post Bag No. 3, Agali P.O., Mannarkad- Taluk, Palakkad – 678 581. E-mail : **koravampadyhouse@gmail.com** Also at: C/o. Kalarikal Group, Wood House, 526, Ranka Park, 4, Lal Bagh Road, Bangalore – 560 027. **(2) Sri. Kurien Thomas, S/o. Thomas Kurien,** #526, Ranka Park, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore – 560 027. Also at: D-202, Century Park Apartments, No.48, Richmond Road, Bangalore – 560 025. **(3) Sri. Krishna Variar Pradeep Kumar, S/o. C Krishna Variar,** No.4, Ramalakshmi Nagar, Annexe, Edayarpalayam, Kaundampalayam Road, Velandipalayam Post, Coimbatore – 641 025.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub : Notice issued in terms of Section 13(8) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002 read with 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

As you are aware, the Authorised Officer of the Bank have taken Symbolic possession of the asset described in the Schedule annexed hereto, in terms of Section 13(4) of the subject Act on 23.12.2021, in connection with the outstanding dues payable by you to Bangalore Brigade Road and Goolikadavu branch of the Bank. The total amount due from you to the Bank is Rs. 4,47,10,451.83 (Rupees Four Crore Forty Seven Lakh Ten Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty One and Eighty Three Paise only) as on 03.07.2022 with further interest and costs thereon.

And whereas, the borrowers/ guarantors have failed to pay the amount due to the bank after taking Symbolic possession of the schedule property, notice is hereby given that the immovable property will be sold by inviting tenders/ by public auction/ by Private Treaty on expiry of 30 days from the date of receipt of this notice.

The date and time of auction shall be informed through a separate sale notice as mentioned in the SARFAESI Act, and the properties would be sold to the person who offers the highest bid amount as to the respective property.

Hence, in terms of the provisions of the subject Act and the Rules made there under, this notice is issued to you to enable you to discharge the amount due to the bank before the publication of sale notice mentioned supra.

This is without prejudice to the right of the Authorised Officer to fix the date of sale without any further notice and/ or any other rights available to the bank under the subject Act or any other law in force.

Further Notice Issued with Ref NO: BLR:RO:SAR:380:21-22 dated 29.01.2022 stands withdrawn & Cancelled.

Annexure – Schedule of Assets - SCHEDULE

All that part and parcel of land measuring 65 ft. x 123 ft., totally adm. 7995 sq.ft. having built up area of 1200 sq. ft (approximately) building thereon bearing Municipal No.32, (Old No. A/1), PID No. 76-11-32, Church Street, BMP Ward No. 76, along with all construction, improvements, Easementary rights existing and appurtenant thereon owned by Sri Kurien Thomas (addressee No. 2) vide Will dated 07.03.1985 probated vide Probate Certificate P & SC No. 25006/2012 dated 03.04.2014 of Addl. City Civil Court, Mayo Hall Bangalore and as per Release Deed no. 1236/11-12 dated 23.09.2011 of SRO Shivajinagar and bounded on the North : Church Street, East : By Property No.31, Church Street, South : By Property Nos. 33 & 34, Church Street and West : By Property No. 33 & 34, Church Street.

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The South Indian Bank Ltd.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI.
www.midnglb@rediffmail.com. PHONE : 08472 -220196

IFT No. EE/MI &GWD D/KAL/PB-2/2022-23/1290 Dated : 01-07-2022

-: SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT KW-3) :-

1) Detail of work : THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI INVITES TENDER FROM THE ELEGIBLE TENDERERS FOR 4702-LIS. WORK FOR THE YEAR 2021-22). 2) Amount of Estimate : **Rs. 53,30,716.23**, 3) Eligibility of Contractor : Class-1, 4) Details of Tender application amount and EMD amount: Tender Fee As per e-portal E.M.D. Rs. 106615.00, 5) Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/ Clarifications : **13-07-2022 Upto 11.00 Hours,** 6) Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders: **14-07-2022 Up to 17.30 Hours**, 7) Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid : **15-07-2022 Up to 17.30 Hours**, 8) Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid : **16-07-2022 Up to 17.30 Hours,** 9) Addl. information : Executive Engineer M.I. & G.W.D. Division, Kalaburagi, 10) Address of E-Portal.: **www.e-proc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Division, Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/327/MC&A/2022-23

SBFC Finance Private Limited

(erstwhile Small Business Fincredit India Private Limited)
Registered Office:- Unit No. 103, First Floor, C&B Square, Sangam Complex, Village Chakala, Andheri- Kurla Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai-400059.

POSSESSION NOTICE (As per Rule 8(2) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of SBFC Finance Private Limited under the Securitization, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued Demand Notices upon the Borrowers/Co-borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/Co-borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Co-borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates.

The Borrower/Co-borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of SBFC Finance Private Limited.

Name and Address of Borrowers & Date of Demand Notice	Description of Property(ies) & Date of Possession	Amount demanded in Possession Notice (Rs.)
1. BHASKARA T, & 2. VASANTHA N, all are having their address at No. 46, Anjaneya Street, Chikpete, Bangalore, Karnataka-560053 **Demand Notice Date: 11-Apr-2022**	All the piece and parcel property bearing Khatha No. 22, V.P. Khatha No. 49(old), assessment No. 24/1, situated at valagerahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, now comes under BBMP limits and bounded as under- North- Road, South- Site No. 18, East- Private Property,, West- Site No. 21/C. Date of Possession: 4-Jul-2022	Rs. 98,63,268/- (Rupees Ninety Eight Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Eight Only) as on 7th April 2022

The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer,**
Date: 06/07/2022 **SBFC Finance Private Limited**

SREE THYAGARAJA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Administrative Office : No.5, 9th Cross, Narasimharaja Colony, Bangalore – 560 019. Telephone: 080-22958156, 22958157.

TENDER - CUM - AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 R/W RULE 8 & 9 OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES

Whereas, **1) Sri. Jagadish B 2) Smt. Latha M 3) Smt. Mala K** having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **M/s.Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs.28,89,287/-** (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Seven Only Only) as on **08.06.2022,** along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer has taken Symbolic possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of the Properties	Date and Time of Opening Tender and Place of Auction	Reserve Price
Schedule 1: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing New Municipal No 4/1, PID NO 98-160-4/1, eastern half portion of old site No 12, situated at 1st cross, near Yellamma Temple, Harijan Colony, Ganganagara, Bangalore , measuring East to West : 23 1/2 ft. and North to South : 27 ft. , Totally 635 Sq feet bounded on:- East by : Yellamma Temple, West by : Adinarayana & Sumithra's Property, North by : Remaining Portion of same Property & Conservancy, South by : 1st Cross Road. **Schedule 2:** All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing New Municipal No 4/1, PID NO 98-160-4/1, eastern half portion of old site No 12, situated at 1st cross, near Yellamma Temple, Harijan Colony, Ganganagara, Bangalore , measuring East to West : 23 1/2 ft. and North to South : 8 ft. , Totally 188 Sq feet bounded on:- East by : Yellamma Temple, West by : Adinarayana & Sumithra's Property, North by : Conservancy, South by : Remaining Portion of same Property	**25/07/2022 at 11:30AM at Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,No 5, 9th Cross N.R.Colony, Bangalore**	**Rs 39,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Only)** **EMD Amount Rs 3,90,000/- Three Lakh Ninty Thousand Only)**

This Publication is also 15 days notice stipulated under rule 8(6) & 9(1) or Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the above Borrower/Mortgagors/Guarantors.

(1) The Tender form can be collected from **Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,Bangalore, Administrative Office : No.5, 9th Cross, Narasimharaja Colony,Bangalore - 560 019 (Ph.No.: 080-22958156, 22958157)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favor of **Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore,** payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender-cum-Auction Sale Notice. **(3)** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore by **22.07.2022 before 5.00 PM.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **(4)** The property **"SHALL NOT"** be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.30 AM on 25.07.2022 (8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **(9)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his/her expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **(14)** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, M/s Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Administrative Office : No.5, 9th Cross, Narasimharaja Colony, Bangalore - 560 019 for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property (Contact No.080-22958156, 22958157),) E-Mail: legal@stcb.org.in

Date: 04.07.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **For Sree Thyagaraja Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,**

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DAY'S DIARY

The Dollar is Born

On July 6, 1785, the United States Congress unanimously resolved the name of its currency to the "dollar" and adopted decimal coinage

HOW AND WHY

Early colonists used English, Spanish and French money under English rule. But with war looming in 1775, the Continental Congress began issuing currency to finance the conflict

THE MINT ACT

The "Mint Act" of 1792 established the coinage system of the United States and the dollar as the principal unit of currency

PAPER MONEY

During the Civil War of 1861, the US Government began to print paper money called "demand notes", and was replaced by legal tender in 1862

Director Shashidhar KM on his debut venture

PG 4

THE AFTER-EFFECT

City-based Rajeev Ravindranathan, who played a part in *Rocketry: The Nambi Effect* starring R Madhavan, tells *CE* how he's handling the outpouring of emotions post the release of the film

MONIKA MONALISA

ACTOR Rajeev Ravindranathan, who was seen in the movies like *3 idiots* and *English Vinglish*, is currently under quarantineafter testing positive for Covid, but nothing could be more comforting than a warm bowl of soup and all the positive responses that his latest *Rocketry: The Nambi Effect* has been getting. The movie is based on the life of Padma Bhushan Nambi Narayanan, a former scientist and aerospace engineer at the ISRO. R Madhavan, who has directed and written the screenplay, portrays the role of Narayanan.

The outpouring of love from the audience and stars alike has been overwhelming for Ravindranathan , who plays the role of Param, a scientist in Nambi's team. "My character is an amalgamation of a few characters from Nambi's life. Param can be described as Laxman to Nambi's Ram. He is a supporter and a firm believer of everything that Nambi stands for. Param lives his patriotism for India, through Nambi," says Ravindranathan.

Since the character is fictitious, Ravindranathan borrowed a lot of nuances of his character from the script. "I am an actor who likes to pick up from whatever the lines are telling me. You have to understand there is always the subconscious at work when a dialogue writer is penning the scenes. And I try to tap into that. I quickly picked on this character's social awkwardness and the fact that his fellow scientists are his entire world," he explained, adding that he also followed Madhavan's instructions on the character.

Ravindranathan got to know about the movie in 2018 from Madhavan . "I took the script and went to the balcony for three hours. And when I came back, I had mixed feelings and told him, I would do anything to tell Nambi's story," laughs Ravindranathan.

Even though he knew there were meatier parts in the movie, he has no qualms about playing Param. "There is a certain way I project myself on screen, and I think the directors know what they will get when they put me in front of the camera. Screentime is of scant importance to me. If I am going to get entertained by the character, then I am going to do the part," says the city-based actor. He recalls, for *3 idiots* he auditioned for another role, but he didn't get it. "Raju (Hirani) said there is a small role of a senior student who rags Aamir Khan and I was game," he laughs. Ravindranathan is looking forward to working with director R Balki's upcoming project *Chup*, which stars Dulquer Salmaan, Sunny Deol, Pooja Bhatt and Shreya Dhanwanthary.

SUPERSTAR SPEAKS

The movie has been getting a lot of attention from several stars, including superstar Rajinikanth who tweeted, "Everyone should watch *Rocketry*, especially the youngsters. To develop the space research program of our country, Padma Bhushan Nambi Narayanan had made many sacrifices and faced a lot of struggles. Madhavan has made a biopic of his life. He has delivered a very lived-in performance and in his very first film, he has proved that he is on par with other great filmmakers. I thank him for giving us such a film. Congratulations. (sic)"

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in CE on Thursday.

QUESTIONS

1. Name the state guest house which was once the private residence of Seshadri Iyer who served as the Dewan of Mysore state from 1883 to 1901. In 1915, the Mysore government bought the property and converted it into a guest house for important guests of the state. The building, known for its remarkable architecture, is one of the iconic heritage structures in Bengaluru and has housed many important personalities, including Mahatma Gandhi during his visits to the city.

2. A state-owned guest house was in the news in recent years as the Karnataka government set to demolish part of the structure and convert it into a legislators' club. The plan was stalled and the historic building was rescued after a stern protest from heritage lovers in the city. The stately mansion built in the 1850s was used as the residence of Sir Mark Cubbon, the chief commissioner of Mysore state. Many great personalities, including Jawaharlal Nehru, Mahatma Gandhi, Rabindranath Tagore and Sir M Visvesvaraya stayed here. Name the guest house bungalow.

3. Nehru Nilaya, a state-owned guest house run by the Horticulture department, is located on one of the historic hills on the outskirts towards the north of Bengaluru. It was built in 1848 and was once the summer residence of Sir Mark Cubbon, the chief commissioner of Mysore state. Mahatma Gandhi stayed here for a week in 1927 and for 45 days in 1936 on the advice of his physician to have a complete rest after a brief illness. Name the historic hills.

On repeat mode

After Ricky Kej re-wore his Grammys blue blazer at the Cannes Film Festival, celebrities are talking about how sustainable fashion works for them and how they rework their fave looks

ISHRATH MUBEEN

DO you have a favourite outfit but worried about repeating it? Celebrities and influencers alike are setting new trends of repeating outfits, and if they can do it, so can you. **Iti Acharya**, the actor who made her debut at the Cannes Film festival 2022, wore an outfit that was previously worn by a Tamil actor a few months ago. Despite her designer friends being reluctant, Acharya made a bold decision and repeated the dress at the Directors' Fortnight. "Lately, I realised that we have overcome the norm of wanting to be the first and only celebrity wearing a particular designer. Haven't we all seen Kate Middleton gracefully renewing and repeating her outfits in different ways?" she says.

Having graduated from NIFT, Acharya understands what it takes to design one outfit. "The dresses which the celebrities wear at events are super expensive. A lot goes behind such outfits. Production in large quantities results in huge amounts of waste," she quips.

Actor **Priyanka Upendra** approves of the idea of sustainable fashion. "For the love of keeping it minimalistic, I restyle old sarees with new blouses. I re-wear even the red carpet looks because I feel it is impossible to keep adding to your wardrobe. I love repeating my outfits," she says. Upendra does not just swap clothes with her friends, but also shares with family since her kids are now older. "Aishwarya, Ayush, Upendra and I share our neutral outfits. It is all about accessorising it differently. Try a different dupatta or have the dress dyed to another colour," she advises.

The whole concept of not repeating an outfit seems alien to actor Sharmiela Mandre. Until a few years ago, it would be a big deal if a celebrity wore the same outfit at two different events. "I wore an outfit for a performance at an award function and repeated it for the audio launch of my film. It was a pretty outfit and I did not see anything wrong in wearing it again. If not to a stage, where else would I wear a stage outfit?," she asks.

When Acharya repeated her outfit, a boy called her out on it. "It is never the right thing to let anyone belittle you. When you know why you are doing what you are doing, there is no need to feel ashamed of it," she remarks. Mandre, who follows trends closely, reworks outfits. "There is a brand that reworks your outfit into another one. I recently converted a saree into a crop top and pants because I love its material. I also transformed a skirt into a jacket. There are clothes I haven't worn for years and this is how I make them wearable," she says.

Restyling and accessorising it the right way is a game-changer, Acharya says. "A different headgear, a trendy piece of jewellery, or footwear gives the outfit a new look. There is a lot to learn from Komal Pandey's fashion videos," she adds.

Rapper Alok Babu aka All Ok's latest number is his take on the classic Kannada song *Soruthihudu Maneya Maligi*; song has got over 1.1 million views on social media so far

EXPRESS FEATURES

RAPT ATTENTION

EVERY single of rapper **Alok Babu** aka All Ok's has been a huge hit with the masses and his latest song *Soruthihudu Maneya Maligi* is no different. The song was originally written by Santa Shishunala Sharif and has got more than 1.1 million views on social media in less than a week.

So what makes Babu's take so unique? It has got a soul and an electronic vibe to it, along with a new-age rap verse, he says. "*Soruthihudu* is a philosophical song about human ignorance and how to attain wisdom and clarity in order to make our existence meaningful, happy and fulfilling in all spheres of life," says Babu.

Right from his childhood, he loved this particular song because it explains a simple philosophy in the form of a story. "This philosophy is explained through a beautiful analogy of a leaking roof in a heavy night storm, where water dripping inside the house. It is caused because of a gap in our understanding and acceptance due to ego, greed and ignorance," explains Babu.It's no doubt Babu's songs always have had some way of connecting with his fans but for this song, he had given his own twist to the classic Kannada folk song. "Since I am doing a modern take, I tried to give a futuristic feel to the video but kept the meaning intact. In the video, I have shown two people chasing light, which is a metaphor for nature. One tries to save it while the other is trying to destroy it," explains Babu.

> *Kannada indie pop is extremely good and people have come up with some incredible work but it's the presentation that matters*
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> Alok Babu, rapper

One of the popular names in the Kannada rapping scene, Babu is a man on a mission to put Kannada independent music on the world stage. "Kannada indie pop is extremely good and people have come up with some incredible work but it's the presentation that matters. In this song I have had some inspiration from Hollywood and the response has been incredible," says Babu.

CITY READ

CITY STUDENT SECURES TOP SCORE

Ashwini P S, a student of Alvas College, Moodubidire secured 96 per cent marks in the II year PUC examination held recently. She has made her friends and family proud with this achievement.

INSIDE

Problems of the past persist in the present

Sudha G Tilak, who translated Karichan Kunju's *Pasitha Maanidam* – said to be the first Tamil novel with openly gay characters – speaks to *CE* about issues of the 20th century spilling into the 21st

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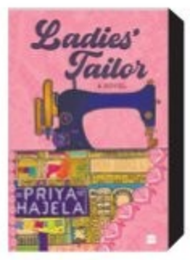
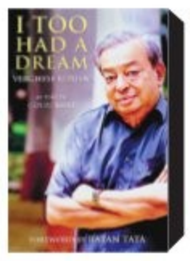


Ladies' Tailor

By Priya Hajela

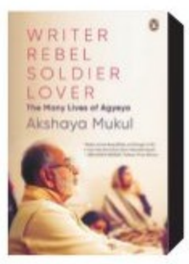
This is the tale of falling apart and coming together, as the world around Gurdev and his cohort, a group of refugees who travel East from Pakistan after Partition, burns.



I Too had a Dream

By Verghese Kurien as told to Gouri Salvi

The book narrates the innovative story of how farmers were empowered to build strong co-operatives and increase the production of milk, which ultimately resulted in India, becoming the highest milk producer in the world.



Writer, Rebel, Soldier, Lover

By Akshaya Mukul

This comprehensive and unflinching biography is a journey into writer Agyeya's public, private and secret life.

Ritu Nanda : Fir Bhi Rahenge Nishaniyan

By Sathya Saran

It is the story of a woman who shed her shyness and stepped into the limelight, taking on a variety of roles - entrepreneur, insurance advisor, author, negotiator and pioneer.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Classical Concert

Saphalya Music Academy presents Naada Vikaasa, a Carnatic solo debut vocal concert by Arya Ramchander. Go and witness the young artiste perform with perfection.

WHEN: July 9, 5 pm
WHERE: Sri Jayarama Seva Mandali, Jayanagar
CONTACT: 080-22445232

Bake A Cake

Join this interactive masterclass and live demonstration on baking and cake decoration. Here's your chance to have fun shopping for baking supplies and meet bakers.

WHEN: July 15
WHERE: MLR Convention Centre, JP Nagar
DETAILS: 8790910234

Fluid Art

Immerse yourself in this fluid art workshop, a fun abstract painting session guided by Aashna. Make your own piece of art and take it home with a specially curated kit. **WHEN:** July 17 **WHERE:** Artkhoj, JP Nagar **DETAILS:** insider.in

Home Decor

If you are interested in thrifting clothes, check out this home decor thrift for home supplies like decor, furnishing, crafts, fabric and more by a DIY and décor enthusiast Preethi Prabhu.

WHEN: July 7, 11 am onwards
WHERE: Bangalore Creative Circus, Yeshwanthpur
DETAILS: blrcreativecircus.com

Dance and Drama

Dance and Drama Therapy offers deep psychological healing using movement and drama therapy exercises. Join the session to soothe yourself, relax and connect with your body and soul.

WHEN: July 9 onwards
WHERE: Lahe Lahe, Indiranagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Disco Night

SOCIAL Indiranagar and Dynamite Disco present an event to jazz up your Saturday night. Join the fun and enjoy the drinks with live music by Hamza Rahimtula, SourFunk and Stalvart John.

WHEN: July 9, 8.30 pm
WHERE: SOCIAL, Indiranagar
DETAILS: insider.in

Music Festival

This festival presents musicians like Parekh and Singh, Raman Negi and more. Go and listen to them perform live.

WHEN: July 16, 5 pm
WHERE: The Lalit Ashok, Seshadripuram
DETAILS: lbb.in

Saturday Buffet

Make your Saturdays exciting with this lunch and dinner buffet at Radisson Blu Outer Ring Road. Reserve your spot now and elevate your Saturday dining.

WHEN: Every Saturday
WHERE: Radisson Blu, Marathahalli
CONTACT: 88844 00155

Grunge Fest

Sick Society and Men in the Box present a tribute to grunge artistes Nirvana and more with this Grunge Fest. Beat the blues with this rock performance.

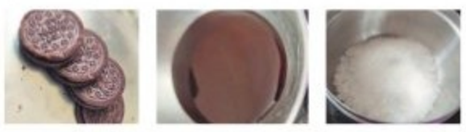
WHEN: July 10
WHERE: Fandom at Gilly's Redefined, Koramangala
DETAILS: insider.in

PRETTY BAUBLES

Women exploring a variety of colourful jewellery at Heritage Bazaar at Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath on Tuesday| SHRIRAM BN

QUICK FIX

OREO MILKSHAKE



Contributed by: **Keerthana Shankar,** Chennai

INGREDIENTS

■ **Oreos:** 1 packet ■ **Whipped cream:** 250 ml ■ **Warm milk:** 1/2 cup ■ **Powdered sugar:** 3 tsp ■ **Chocolate sauce:** 3 tbsp

METHOD

- Put a few Oreos with the cream into a blender and grind till it becomes fine powder.
- Add milk to the powdered Oreos and mix well till it turns gooey in consistency.
- Take the whipped cream in a bowl. Add powdered sugar and chocolate sauce. Whisk well for a few minutes until the cream becomes thick. If you do not have whipped cream, you can use fresh cream of the same quantity after freezing it for two to three hours.
- Once the components are ready, start assembling in a small glass. Layer the glass alternatively with the biscuits and cream. Repeat the process until the glass is full.
- Set it in the refrigerator for around 20 minutes. Top with chocolate/vanilla ice-cream, whipped cream, chocolate sauce, chocolate shavings, choco chips, Nutella and Oreo crumbs. Serve cold.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com.

FIT BIT

KUNDALINI TWIST POSE

This traditional pose helps open the chest open and broaden the shoulders. Hence, it is included in heart-opening yoga sequences. It calms the mind and energises the body. It is practised in combination of asana (yoga pose), pranayama (breath), drishti (eye gaze), mantras, and mudras to lead to a connection with higher consciousness. It activates the Mooladhara (Root) and Manipura (Sacral) Chakras.

STEPS

- Sit in a Sukhasana (Easy Pose), palms together at heart; head, neck, and back in one line. Take a few breaths here to relax the body. Inhale, release your hands.
- Exhale, take your hands on the shoulders with your finger in front, thumbs behind.
- Stay here for a breath. Inhale, twist your upper body to the left. Exhale, twist to the right. This is one round.
- Keep your eyes closed focusing at the brow point, practise the pose for ten breaths.
- Movements here are fast with forced deep breaths. Twist with the mantra 'sat' as you breathe in and 'nam' as you breathe out.
- Inhale, pause for a moment. Exhale, gently release your palms. Observe the silence within you. Slowly open your eyes and relax in Savasana (Corpse Pose).

BENEFITS

- Lengthens and strengthens the muscles of back, chest, neck, and sides of the torso and improves their mobility.
- Keeping the lungs active.
- Helps sportspeople especially runners, athletes, swimmers, climbers, cyclists.
- Clears the nasal passage of toxins and blockages.
- Strengthens respiratory system. Helps asthmatic patients.
- Improves posture and alleviates neck, shoulder, and back pain.
- Keeps mind peaceful, thus curing nervous disorders.
- Clears the channels for easy and smooth flow of prana (energy).
- Activates digestive and reproductive organs.

LIMITATIONS

Avoid if you have injuries in hips, spine, neck, shoulders, lower back, wrists, elbows or fingers, or have undergone any recent hand, heart or abdominal surgery, have high blood pressure, heart ailments, epilepsy, migraine, vertigo, ulcer, weak or severe digestion problems, neck spondylitis, or slipped disc. Pregnant and menstruating women should avoid this.

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

SAANI KAAYIDHAM (Tamil)

A generational curse comes true in a senseless act of injustice to Ponni and her family. She is driven to seek vengeance by Sangaiya with whom she shares a bitter past.

Cast: Selvaraghavan, Keerthy Suresh
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

DASVI (Hindi)

Jailed under a tough cop, an uneducated politician decides to spend his time studying for high school, while his scheming wife has plans of her own.

Cast: Abhishek Bachchan, Yami Gautam, Nimrat Kaur
Watch on: Netflix

DHAMAKA (Hindi)

When a cynical ex-TV news anchor gets an alarming call on his radio show, he sees a chance for a career comeback, but it may cost him his conscience.

Cast: Kartik Aaryan, Mrunal Thakur, Amruta Subhash
Watch on: Netflix

SAUNKAN SAUNKNE (Punjabi)

A couple married for more than six years loses hope for a child. On the insistence of his wife, he marries her sister. Shortly, small squabbles between the two wives lead to a comic situation.

Cast: Ammy Virk, Sargun Mehta, Nimrat Khaira
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

JERSEY (Hindi)

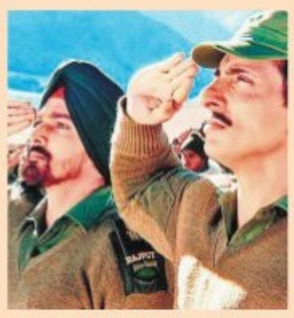
A talented but failed cricketer decides to return to cricket in his late thirties, driven by the desire to represent the Indian cricket team and fulfil his son's wish for a jersey as a gift.

Cast: Shahid Kapoor, Mrunal Thakur
Watch on: Netflix

RUNWAY34 (Hindi)

A pilot's flight takes a stirring and mysterious trajectory after taking off from an international destination.

Cast: Ajay Devgn, Amitabh Bachchan, Rakul Preet Singh
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video



PALTAN (Hindi)

Lieutenant Colonel Raj Singh Yadav, along with his group of soldiers, sets out to protect the Nathu La Pass from the Chinese while having to deal with the pain of being away from their loved ones.

Cast: Jackie Shroff, Arjun Rampal, Sonu Sood
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

VERONICA (Spanish)

During a solar edipse, a teenage girl and her friends want to summon the spirit of the girl's father using an Ouija board. However, during the session she loses her consciousness and soon it becomes clear that evil demons have arrived.

Cast: Sandara Escacena, Claudia Placer, Bruna GonzÃ¡lez
Watch on: Netflix

MADAME CLAUDE (French)

In 1960s Paris, Madame Claude's influence extends beyond the world of sex work, until an affluent young woman threatens to change everything.

Cast: Karole Rocher, Roschdy Zem, Garance Marillier
Watch on: Netflix

GASOLINE ALLEY (English)

Scotty Beckett and Jimmy Lydon are Corky and Skeezix, half-brothers who find themselves in the restaurant business until complications and some family conflicts arise.

Cast: Scotty Beckett, Jimmy Lydon, Susan Morrow
Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

HUSTLE (English)

When a down-on-his-luck basketball scout finds a potential superstar in Spain, he sets out to prove they both have what it takes to make it in the NBA.

Cast: Adam Sandler, Juancho Hernangomez, Queen Latifah
Watch on: Netflix

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Problems of the past persist in the present

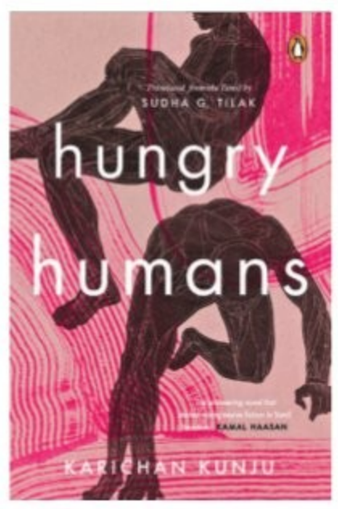
NIKHIL JAYAKRISHNAN

WITH its raw depictions of caste and gender politics among other issues, Karichan Kunju's novel *Pasitha Maanidam* remains one of the landmarks of Tamil literature from the 1970s. Close to five decades since its publication, the novel arrives in a new English translation, courtesy of senior journalist **Sudha G Tilak**. In an email conversation with *CE*, the Gurugram-based author, whose journalistic career spans several years across national and international publications, reveals what makes Kunju's work relevant reading for a wider audience. **Excerpts from the interview**

How do you see your switch from journalism to translating a literary work? Was it a long-nurtured dream?
For the first decade or so of my journalism career in Chennai, I worked for magazines and newspapers outside Tamil Nadu. It meant writing for an all-India readership, and not an exclusively Tamil-speaking one. This automatically meant my job was a way of translating or explaining the state's culture, language, and politics for non-Tamils. More than a switch, I would call translating a literary work like *Hungry Humans* an extension of my work in explaining the language, its people and culture to non-Tamil readers.

Pasitha Maanidam, the Tamil original of *Hungry Humans*, was released in the 1970s. Apart from its central theme of moral depravity — sexual abuse, infidelity, lust for power etc — what made you feel the novel deserved a wider readership?
I found the themes of sexual politics, caste superiority, power and control, and the position of homosexuals, trans people, and women in *Pasitha Maanidam*, which is set in the first half of the 20th century, are continuing issues even in the 21st century. *Hungry Humans* is a way of finding out that the problems of the past persist in shockingly same or different forms across eras. The novel is set in and around Thanjavur, but its larger moral issues, philosophical quests and spiritual yearnings could belong to humans elsewhere too.

This is your first work as a translator from Tamil to English. How daunting was it?
The weight of translating an important piece of a literary modern classic comes with its kind of responsibility. To be true to the times and tone and structure of the novel was an extracting task.



One of the big challenges of translation is carrying over certain expressions unique to a particular language to another tongue without losing its essence. How did you work around them?
While in this age of 'Ask Google' it is easy to navigate new idioms and phrases, I've tried to simplify the Tamil terms and expressions using contemporary or straightforward language. The editor also recommended a glossary of terms for the book.

Jyothika Baleri

Tryst with tradition

VAISHNA RAJ

JYOTHIKA Baleri, the author of the book *Chettinad in Your Home – An Exploration* takes the reader on a journey, reminiscing the lost Indian design and architecture. The book was launched recently. The southernmost part of Tamil Nadu's Chettinad district is renowned for both its cuisine and architecture. The story of the Chettiars has many intriguing layers... they were merchants of salt, gems, textiles, and were also into banking and finance. "I was always fascinated by my ancestral home in Palamaneri," recalls Baleri. High ceilings, front porches, clear-storey lights and courtyards are introduced in Bengaluru now, where the Chettinad home is not only vibrant because of its architectural beauty and expression, but also due to its sustainable and budget-friendly nature. The book gives insights into how to create a traditional design in one's home.

With modern living in Bengaluru, the tidal wave of emotions associated with traditional design is lost, and thus the notion of 'reduce, reuse and recycle' has been introduced. "I believe that blending tradition with modern convenience will bring these styles back into the mainstream design scene and that the enhanced aesthetics and colours will elevate home decor to a higher plane," says Baleri. Modern functionality merged with traditional culture is what Chettinad architecture is all about.

Sathya Prakash Varanashi, former professor of architecture and the chief guest for the book launch says, "Large demolition of the opulent and grand mansions in Tamil Nadu is a matter of worry, with the danger of very few samples standing during coming centuries. One way to continue the legacy lies in reusing and upcycling the elements of the house, especially the timber artefacts. The approach promoted by the author achieves a visual connection to the past amidst ideas of our present times. It becomes a curious blend of tradition and modernity," he feels.

The greatest time to break up

HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon
(Writer, comedian)

WHILE writing this column, I have always maintained an impersonal, 'third-uncle-from-Mysore' tone. But I shall make an exception this week. For yours truly went through a breakup recently. My love life is akin to Vinod Kambli's final years in the Indian cricket team. He kept making comebacks despite the inevitable writing on the wall. As a viewer, you wondered why he kept on trying so many times. My excursions into the marshes of companionship aren't very different.

However, I find myself surprisingly stoic this time around. Most breakups involved me consuming 'excise raid' levels of Old Monk and smoking enough Chhota Gold Flake to light up a hamlet in Jharkhand. But in my 30s, I chose to write a column about it. I have been caught up in life's busyness. There are video games, the vortex of social media, movies, and TV shows to get lost in. There are passions, hobbies, and cafes to dip your toes into. And the world is connected in one hive-mind that is the internet. I'd go so far as to say that there hasn't been a better time to break up!

For all the flak that the internet and social media receive, not enough is written about their wonderful distracting abilities. In earlier times, going through a breakup meant slipping into predictable patterns. There were the silent tears that chose to escape when nobody was around. The knack of staying at home all day, for a few days. The visiting of shady bars (if you belonged to the male of the species) and the voluntary pumping of alcohol inside the human body. Much of it could be attributed to what we saw in movies. Honestly, I don't even enjoy drinking all that much. But every hero I had in the movies chose to gulp down a bottle of Johnny Walker (neat) and then proceed to sit on a piano and belt out a generic Kumar Sanu song.

In the days of yore, there was also the fear that 'everything around me would remind me of them'. Kids of today might not be familiar with this concept, but it was a thing in the '90sand 2000s. Songs that played on the TV reminded us of our once-loved ones. The same songs would then play on FM stations, in gyms, barbershops, and Navratri pandals. An ex of mine would watch the TV show *Balika Vadhu* with her grandmother every night. After we broke up, everytime little Anandi cried – I felt her pain. Of course, she cried over serious issues like child marriage and sati, while I was moping over a teenage relationship!

But today, FM stations, TV shows, and advertisements are a thing of the past. The smartphone is a much slandered device. It is blamed for distracting you, for not letting you focus. But these same traits become advantages when you break up. Dogs might be man's best friends, but the phone is the permanent soulmate. It is there with you from the time you wake up, to the time you fall asleep. This is the best time to get distracted, to look for new avenues, and move on. So if there is anything to take home from this column – it is this. If you're stuck, latching on, troubled or exhausted in a relationship, there couldn't be a better time to move on. If you're scared of feeling lonely or troubled, you're underestimating the supreme powers of the internet. For ladies, gentlemen, and friends beyond the binary - we live in a world of delightful distractions!

EXPRESS ILLUSTRATION

NUGGETS

Book on critical assessment of sex laws

A book on *Sex Laws in India*, a critical assessment of sex laws for the common man, was released recently. The book is primarily meant for the welfare of the people by enlightening them with respect to their constitutional, fundamental and human rights so as to save them from unnecessary harassment at the hands of the law enforcement authorities. Co-authored by father-son duo — Sanjeev Jindal, Additional District and Sessions Judge (retd) and Abhishek Jindal, an advocate of Punjab and Haryana High Court, it is published by Unistar Books. Sanjeev said the critical assessment of the sex laws also enables the common man to shape their views and to smoothen their behaviour vis-a-vis other members of society. "The book is for the benefit of the people in the street who do not know much about the sex laws," Abhishek said. —**IANS**

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I, **Mr. MOHAMMED NOORULLA,** S/o Bhasha Sab, aged about 59 years, Permanently R/at 81/1, 1st Cross, LIC Colony, Jayanagar 3rd Block, Bangalore South Bangalore-560011, do hereby declare that my correct name is **MOHAMMED NOORULLA** but in my passport bearing No. Z2014087 my name is wrongly mentioned as **NOORULLA** instead of **MOHAMMED NOORULLA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **MOHAMMED NOORULLA** only in all purposes, vide affidavit dated 10-05-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. JAYANTH** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Shreya Patil,** Aged about 21 years, Daughter of Chandrashekhar Patil, Residing at No. 358, 10th Main Road, 2nd Cross, 1st Block, 3rd Stage, Basaveshwara Nagar, Bangalore, hereby declare that **Shreya Patil** and **Shreya Chandrashekhar Patil** are one and the same person, that is me. Vide affidavit dated 16.05.2022 sworn to before B. Chitra, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AZEEZ CHOTTI ASHABULLA,** Aged about 53 years, S/o. Abdull Azeez, Residing at No.11/1, Flat No.T1, Shivaji Enclave Anjaneya Swamy Layout, Ejipura, Viveknagar Post, Bengaluru-560047, Karnataka, India, shall hence forth be known as **ASHBULLA A C,** vide Affidavit dated 05-07-2022, before notary, K.V MANI, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LEELAVATHI SOMPALLI** and **LEELAVATHI.N.**, W/o **Vijay Naidu Nannuri,** R/at Flat No.B-1604, Vaishnavi Terreces, 4th Phase, J.P.Nagar, Dollars Colony, Bengaluru- 560078, have changed my name to **LEELA NANNURI** vide affidavit dated:4/7/2022 Before Notary **H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JEEVAN KUMAR SINGH,** Residing at, Flat No:301, Guru Nilaya, BHS Layout, Virat Nagar, Bommanahalli, Bengaluru-560068, Karnataka, India, have changed my name from **JIVAN KUMAR SINGH** (Old Name) to **JEEVAN KUMAR SINGH** (New Name), vide affidavit dated:04-07-2022, sworn before Advocate & Notary, K.V. Mani, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **N. VINITHA,** W/o Varun Sanklecha, age 24 years, R/at No. 63, Sanklecha Sadan, Akkipet Main Road, Bangalore-560 053 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **N. VINITHA** to **VINITHA JAIN SANKLECHA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **VINITHA JAIN SANKLECHA** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 1-7-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **LAKSHMAIAH** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **M.M. Ponavva** is legally wedded spouse of No. 1069736N, Rank: Hav, Name: Medappa M.S., presently residing at No.02, Vastunagar, Chikkathoguru Road, Electronic City, Bangalore - 560 100, hereby declare that both names **M.M. PONAVVA** and **ANITHAKUMARI .M.M.** pertain to one and the same person and My date of birth from 32 years, as per discharge Book and 29 years as per PPO (date of birth as per (POR) to 21.07.1964 (actual date of birth of wife) due to as per Aadhar and Pan Card and Voter ID (reason for change). That both date of birth 32 years and 29 years and 21.07.1964 pertain to one and the same person. Hereafter in all records, deeds and writing and in all proceeding dealing with transactions, private as well as under all occasions what so ever be known as only **ANITHAKUMARI .M.M.** vide affidavit dated 30.06.2022 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUJAYA PANDIT,** W/o Shivraj Mahalingeswar Athani Residing at No. 30, 80 Feet Road, Near MSR Hospital RMV 2nd Stage, 2nd Block, Bangalore - 560094, have changed my name to **SUJAYA ATHANI SHIVRAJ** Vide Affidavit Dated: 05/07/2022, Before Notary Mr. R Vishwanath, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Priyanka V Kukreja aged about 49 years, W/o. Mr. Vikas B Kukreja, #236, 18th Cross, Upper Palace Orchards, Sadashivanagar, Bangalore 560080. The names **Radha Vikas Kukreja & Priyanka V Kukreja** pertains to me only i.e., Priyanka V Kukreja. Vide affidavit dated 04/07/2022 Sworn before Advocate and Notary C.V.Earappa, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JACOB SHERRY SEBASTIAN,** R/o Apartment No. 706, 7th Floor, Sparta 1, Prestige Acropolis, No. 20, Hosur Road, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 029 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JACOB ROY** to **JACOB SHERRY SEBASTIAN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **JACOB SHERRY SEBASTIAN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 27th May 2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. Gopalakrishna** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **S. SHASHANK,** S/o Late M.J. Suresh Rao, aged about 30 years, R/at #02, 6th Cross, Annapareddy Layout, Behind St. Anne's School Road, Rammurthy Nagar, Bengaluru-560016, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **S. SHASHANK** to **CHIRANJEEVI .S,** vide affidavit dated 04-07-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **Y.V. SHANKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **N. SHUKRAKUMAR** S/o. Mr. Nanjundegowda R/o: Flat No. 19, SLV Apartment, Airport Road, Chikkajala, Bengaluru-562157, have changed my name N. **SHUKRAKUMAR** to **MURALI** vide affidavit dated 05.07.2022 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. Chaya, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
WE, MEGHA NANDAN BHAT and **NANDAN P.BHAT,** residing at No. 83, 21st Cross, CHBS Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040, have changed my Minor Son's name from **ABHINAV CHINCHEWADI** to **ABHINAV NANDAN BHAT** vide affidavit Dated 05/07/2022 sworn before Notary M.K.Devaki, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VIJAY NAIDU and VIJAY.N,** R/at Flat No.B-1604, Vaishnavi Terreces, 4th Phase, J.P.Nagar, Dollars Colony, Bengaluru-560078, have changed my name to **VIJAY NAIDU NANNURI** vide affidavit dated:4/7/2022 Before Notary **H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JOSEPH ANTHONY ROBERTS,** S/o M A Joseph Raj, age 62 years, R/at No. 3rd Floor, Oyster Green Apartment, No. 27, 2nd Cross, Vivekananda Nagar, Maruthi Seva Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560 033, Karnataka State, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JOSEPH RAJ ANTONY ROBERTS** to **JOSEPH ANTHONY ROBERTS,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **JOSEPH ANTHONY ROBERTS** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 4th July 2022, sworn before Notary **S.I. Balaguru** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **No. 7782181N, Rank: Hav (MP),** Name: **DAMOR JAYESHKUMAR SURESHBHAI,** presently R/at DEMO PROVOST UNIT, C/O 56 APO permanently R/at **Vill & Post:** Kaliyakuva, **Tehsil:** Meghraj, **District:** Arvalli, **State:** Gujarat, **Pin:** 383350 I have changed my son name from **TASMIN KUMAR** to **DAMOR TASMINKUMAR JAYESHKUMAR** and my son Date of Birth is 04-08-2010 (Fourth August Two Thousand Ten) vide affidavit dated 05-06-2022 before Notary **DAYANAND,** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAVICHANDRAN,** Aged about 52 years, S/o. Mr. Seetharam, Resident of No. 291, 14th Cross Road, BDA Layout, Lingarajapuram Slum B Block, Bangalore - 560084, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **S RAVI** to **RAVICHANDRAN** vide affidavit dated 5.7.2022 sworn to before Rahmathulla Sharief, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MEGHA MADHUKAR CHINCHEWADI,** residing at No. 83, 21st Cross, CHBS Layout, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) MEGHA MADHUKAR CHINCHEWADI** to **(NEW NAME) MEGHA NANDAN BHAT** vide affidavit Dated 05/07/2022 sworn before Notary M.K.Devaki, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PRATHIK RANGANATHA** aged about 21 Years, S/o. Ranganatha K, residing at No. 19, Sri Ranga Nilaya, 5th Cross, 1st Main Road, Siriyappa Garden, Bagalagunte, Bangalore-560073, have changed my name to **PRATHIK R GOWDA** vide affidavit dated 02/07/2022 sworn before Advocate & Notary N. Mahesha, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **S. SHRUTHI,** D/o Late M.J. Suresh Rao, aged about 31 years, R/at #02, 6th Cross, Annapareddy Layout, Behind St. Anne's School Road, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bengaluru-560016, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **S. SHRUTHI** to **RICHA .S,** vide affidavit dated 04-07-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **Y.V. SHANKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **No. 7782181N, Rank: Hav (MP),** Name: **DAMOR JAYESHKUMAR SURESHBHAI,** presently R/at DEMO PROVOST UNIT, C/O 56 APO permanently R/at **Vill & Post:** Kaliyakuva, **Tehsil:** Meghraj, **District:** Arvalli, **State:** Gujarat, **Pin:** 383350 I have changed my son name from **KISHU** to **DAMOR KRISH JAYESHKUMAR** and my son Date of Birth is 19-09-2006 (Ninteen September Two Thousand Six) vide affidavit dated 05-06-2022 before Notary **DAYANAND,** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **LAXMI U,** W/o. Late Ramakrishna U, R/at No. 848, K.No. 60/2, Parappana Agrahara, Hosaroad, Electronic City, Bengaluru - 560 100, I declare that, in my documents i.e., My Pass Port, Aadhaar Card and ID, My Name is entered as **LAXMI U.** I declare that SBI-KIOSK Banking ID card MY name is entered as **RADHA** which is NOT True and Correct. I declare that in future my name will be continue as **LAXMI U** in all my transactions etc. Vide affidavit dated 5.7.2022 sworn to before K.C. Gowthami, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MAKAM RADHAKRISHNAIAH MANOJ KUMAR,** S/o. M.L.Radhakrishnaiah, R/a Old No. 201, New No. 161, Trivikam Nilay, Kumbar Street, Krishnarajpuram, Bangalore-560036, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) MAKAM RADHAKRISHNAIAH MANOJ KUMAR** to **(NEW NAME) MANOJ KUMAR RADHAKRISHNAIAH** vide affidavit Dated 05/07/2022 sworn before Notary B.Prasanna, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, RITA JIGNESH THANKI (New Name), Aged about 40 years, W/o. Mr. Jignesh Kantilal Thanki, Residing at E-603, Pride Apartment, Bilekahalli, BG Road, Bengaluru –560076, Karnataka, India, that I have changed my name from RITA THANKI, RITABEN KISHORCHANDRA MODHA (Old Name) to RITA JIGNESH THANKI (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as RITA JIGNESH THANKI (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 05/07/2022 before Notary Jayalingayya Mudenoormath, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **TARA,** D/o Hanumanthappa, age 25 years, R/o No. 7, 1th Cross, Garden Vilas, Coconut Garden, Nagarabhavi, Bengaluru-560 072, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **THAYAMMA** to **TARA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **TARA** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 05-07-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **P.N. NAGESHA** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Sheela Patil,** Aged about 46 years, Wife of Chandrashekhar Patil, Residing at No. 358, 10th Main Road, 2nd Cross, 1st Block, 3rd Stage, Basaveshwara Nagar, Bangalore, hereby declare that **Sheela Patil** and **Sheela Chandrashekhar Patil** are one and the same person, that is me. Vide affidavit dated 16.05.2022 sworn to before B. Chitra, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) ANURADHA,** residing at No. 32, Donate County, Kanshiram Nagar Bus Stop, Vaderahalli, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bangalore-560097, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ANURADHA** to **(NEW NAME) ANURADHA PATTANKAR** vide affidavit Dated 05/07/2022 sworn before Notary A.C.Subbu Swamy, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) PRABHAVATHY MAKAM RADHAKRISHNAIAH,** W/o. Radhakrishnaiah Lakshminarayanaiah Makam, R/a Old No. 201, New No. 161, Trivikam Nilay, Kumbar Street, Krishnarajpuram, Bangalore-560036, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) PRABHAVATHY MAKAM RADHAKRISHNAIAH** to **(NEW NAME) PRABHAVATHI MAKAM RADHAKRISHNAIAH** vide affidavit Dated 05/07/2022 sworn before Notary B.Prasanna, Bangalore.

A still from *Sugarless*

'AS AN ARTISTE, I ENJOY CONTENT-ORIENTED SCRIPTS'

A SHARADHAA

DIABETES is a common topic in many households, and this inspired producer-turned-director Shashidhar KM to make *Sugarless*, a film on this condition. The actor-filmmaker, who has backed films such as *D/O Parvathamma* and the upcoming film *Veeram* starring Prajwal Devaraj, is turning director for *Sugarless*. Shashidhar tells us that apart from being a producer, there is an artiste in him, and he always wanted to helm a film of his own. "As a producer, I would get to listen to dozens of scripts. However, most of them were action-oriented, revenge dramas and romance subjects. However, the artiste in me always enjoys content-oriented scripts. My personal choices were films made in Malayalam and Korean, and I regularly consume films made in these languages. I liked the process of

S Narayan and director Shashidhar K M

such filmmakers who have creatively succeeded in developing some amazing one-liners into wonderful films," says Shashidhar.

His upcoming film, *Sugarless*, which will be released on July 8, revolves around the struggles of a youth in his late 20s who is relatively healthy but suffers from diabetes, "I was looking for an important story to tell, and from some research, I got to learn that there is no film made on diabetes to date. Since I'm also a diabetic, this subject became an inspiration. I also felt that a subject that explores the stigma that is associated with this disease will reach out to every household," he says.

Producer and now director Shashidhar KM talks about his debut venture, *Sugarless*, slated to release on July 8

Sugarless stars Pruthvi Ambaar, and Shashidhar shares that the actor found the story to be unique and challenging. "Without any second thought, he accepted to be part of the project," says the filmmaker.

The film stars Priyanka Thimmesh as the female lead, and features veteran actor Dattanna in a pivotal role. "*Sugarless* touches upon the diabetic condition of three different generations – a child, a 28-year-old persona, and an older person," he says.

Sugarless also has Dharmanna Kadur, Padmaja, S Narayan, and Naveen Padil, in important roles, WIth music by Anoop Seelin, the cinematography of *Sugarless* is by Lavith.

CHOWKABARA
TO HAVE AN EXCLUSIVE PREMIERE IN THE USA

Namitha Rao

Vikram Suri

CE FEATURES

STATE award winner Vikram Suri's second outing *Chowkabara* is ready for release. It is adapted from Mani R Rao's novel, *Bhavana*, which is based on the subjects of friendship and love. The film's music album was released recently, and interestingly, it has three songs scored by Ashwin P Kumar from lyrics penned by well-known poets, H S Venkatesh Murthy, and B R Lakshman Rao. The friendship song is jointly written by Vikram Suri and Harish Bhat.

The director shares that they are looking at an August release for *Chowkbara*, and the first exclusive premiere will be held in the USA. Vikram, who comes from a family of artists, started off as a child artiste, dabbled in theatre, TV, and also worked as a dubbing artist. Vikram, who is also a classical dancer, has acted in over 20 films. He made his directorial debut with *Geleyaru Naavu Geleyaru*, which fetched him the State award, and *Chowkabara* will be his second film as a director.

Namitha Rao, who is playing the female lead of *Chowkabara*, is also backing the film under her Navi Nirmiti banner. The film's cast also consists of Prabhanjan, Kavya Ramesh, Sujay Hegde, Sanjay Suri, Keerthi Banu, Madhu Hegde, Shashidhar Kote, Kiran Vati, Andi, Prathama Prasad, Seetha Kote, Damayanthi Nagraj, and Suma Rao.

With dialogues by Roopa Prabhakar, *Chowkabara* has Raviraj handling the cinematography.

Samantha to make Bollywood debut opposite Ayushmann Khurrana?

CE FEATURES

SAMANTHA made her Hindi web series debut in *The Family Man season 2*. Since then, speculations are rife about Samantha's big feature debut in Hindi cinema.

According to a new report, Samantha will make her Bollywood debut opposite Ayushmann Khurrana. The film, combining humour and suspense, will be produced by Dinesh Vijan's Maddock Films, *Peeping Moon* has reported.

The project will go on floors by the end of this year after Samantha and Ayushmann wrap up their present commitments, a source told the portal. Samantha will essay the central character in the film alongside Ayushmann as the parallel lead, the source added. Besides this, Samantha is also in talks with Taapsee Pannu's production banner, Outsiders Films, for a feature. She has also reportedly signed a Hindi mythological epic. On the web, Samantha will feature in the Indian spinoff of Citadel, co-starring Varun Dhawan. The series is being directed by Raj and DK.

Samantha

VEERESH, TARANGA VISHWA TO TEST WATERS WITH GIRKI

CE FEATURES

VEERESH PM, an erstwhile associate of directors Yogaraj Bhat and Mahesh Babu, is all geared up to make his directorial debut with *Girki*, which is set to release on July 8. The romantic comedy with elements of a thriller is the first production venture of actor Taranga Vishwa, who came to the limelight with the reality comedy show, *Maja Talkies*. Speaking to *CE*, Veeresh said, "My film has two parallel stories of two couples and has multiple elements like love, sentiments, action, comedy, and thriller."

Girki will feature Vilok Raj as a full-fledged hero, and Taranga Vishwa in a pivotal role. Divya Uruduga of *Bigg Boss*-fame and Rashi Mahadev play the female leads.

Made under Edith Film Factory, *Girki* has Veersamarath scoring the music and Naveen Kumar Challa handling the cinematography.

Veeresh PM

Taranga Vishwa

'ANURAG KASHYAP HAS BEEN MY GODFATHER'

KARTIK BHARDWAJ

AMRUTA Subhash is very particular in choosing her roles. She was mentored by Naseeruddin Shah at the National School of Drama (NSD) and follows his advice. "Naseer sir used to tell me, 'don't go for characters whose conflict is not seen on screen,'" she reminisces.

Over the course of her career, she has successfully avoided being slotted in repetitive parts. She plays a serial killer's tormented sister in *Raman Raghav 2.0*, the chatty neighbour in *Choked* and then goes on to step into the shoes of a RAW agent in *Sacred Games Season 2*. Amruta is a seductress in the drama series *Bombay Begums* and a sensation-seeking news producer in the thriller *Dhamaka*. There is, however, one common thread in some of her roles: stories of middle-class women. So when Amruta, who has mostly played supporting roles, decides to play the lead in The Viral Fever's (TVF) *Saas Bahu Achaar Pvt. Ltd* where she essays the role of Suman, a homemaker separated from her husband and struggling to become an entrepreneur, it springs up a question. Does she feel lured to roles of middle-class women?

Amruta Subhash on warding off repetitive roles and hoping for divine intervention to find her characters

"My nanihal (grandmother's house) was in a village so I always felt close to such women and their stories," says Amruta. "Even when these characters are all middle-class women, they vary in their personality. Suman is different from Lily in *Bombay Begums* or from my character in *Choked*. Suman's journey has been from her father's kitchen to her husband's kitchen. She still needs to explore the world. Lily, on the other hand, is a street-smart sex worker. When I picked up *Saas Bahu Achaar*, it ticked all the boxes. The character had a conflict, the writing was good and it was backed by a production house like TVF."

It's exciting to see Amruta finally play the lead. The typecast bug, however, has still hovered around her. "Especially after *Gully Boy*, I was being approached for 'mother roles'. But that's how this industry works. You do something good and they want to see more of that. Even the audience wants to see you in similar roles. But I told myself to say no. You have to make your space. It's better to sit at home without work rather than play similar roles." A maker who has ensured diversity and depth in her roles is Anurag Kashyap. Amruta's most impactful performances came during her multiple collaborations with the director in Raman Raghav 2.0, Choked and Sacred Games. "Anurag has been my godfather but even when we got acquainted well, he still auditioned me for every role," she stresses. Talking about her process, Amruta says that she prefers to have the complete script with her character outline. "It's only with Anurag I know I can let go in a performance and he will take care of me. When I did Raman Raghav, I didn't know him well and we had extensive rehearsals and workshops. With Sacred Games he just prepped me on how a RAW agent works but didn't give me a script. When Choked

Amruta Subhash

came and I asked him what the role was, he refused to reveal and asked me to meet him directly on set," Amruta laughs. "He takes me out of my comfort zone but doesn't leave my side." The characters she plays sprout after extensive research. Amrutha prefers to meet real people and emulate their life in her performances rather than relying upon her own experiences. "As Amruta, I know I have limited experiences and if I start thrusting them on every character it won't be different," she explains. "I met a bar dancer in Mumbai's red-light district Kamathipura while researching for Lily for Bombay Begums. I found my Razia (the role of Ranveer Singh's mother in Gully Boy) when I visited the house of a young Muslim woman. Everytime I take up a role, I pray to the universe to show me the character."

But it's not just people that give her the characters; sometimes it's an animal, a painting, a tune or just divine intervention. She once saw a chameleon in Sri Lanka, where she was with Marathi actor/ director Sandesh Kulkarni (her husband) to shoot for an English-language series. She went closer to the creature but it didn't even flinch. The reptile's composure became the basis of Kusum Devi Yadav, the RAW agent she plays in *Sacred Games*. "I call these moments Brahmakshan," she says. "It feels like an out-of-body experience. It can be triggered by anything, observing an animal, listening to a song or appreciating a painting. Sometimes it happens during a performance. It feels like I am out of my being and fusing with the character."

We ask her when was the last time she felt it. "It was during shooting a scene in Nandita Das' *Firaaq*," she says. "It was a confrontational sequence with Shahana Goswami. I was playing a Hindu woman, she a Muslim. During the scene, I had to slap her. When I did, somewhere the azaan started playing and my eyes welled-up, I got goosebumps. I had found my brahmakshan."

In the end, it all comes down to content, she feels. OTT has opened the avenues for varied material and women-centric stories. "My makers have always given me characters, even if supporting ones, who have their own arc. OTT is giving space to stories of women. Content was king but now it has become queen also."